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" International Travel and Tourism Statistics" is a regular publication of the Central Statistics Office, designed to present in a single report, detailed statistics concerning international travel and tourism relating to Mauritius.

The statistical tables presented in this report have been compiled from the embarkation / disembarkation cards filled in by passengers as they leave or enter the country in the course of their travel.

Statistical data on International Travel and Tourism are constantly updated as more reliable information become available, necessitating minor changes over previous issues of this publication. The figures published in this issue therefore supersede those of all previous issues.

It is hoped that the data herewith assembled will prove useful to the public in general and to policy makers, planners and research workers in particular.

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## I - POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

**Table 1 - Estimated resident population of Republic of Mauritius  
as at 31st December, 2001 & 2002 <sup>1</sup>**

Year	Island	Both sexes	Male	Female	Area ( sq km)	Density (persons/km <sup>2</sup> )
2001	Mauritius	1,169,303	579,215	590,088	1,864.8	627
	Rodrigues	36,085	17,853	18,232	104.0	347
	Other	289	193	96	71.2	4
	<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,205,677</b>	<b>597,261</b>	<b>608,416</b>	<b>2,040.0</b>	<b>591</b>
2002	Mauritius	1,180,189	584,316	595,873	1,864.8	633
	Rodrigues	36,303	17,981	18,322	104.0	349
	Other	289	193	96	71.2	4
	<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>1,216,781</b>	<b>602,490</b>	<b>614,291</b>	<b>2,040.0</b>	<b>596</b>

<sup>1</sup> based on the 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children.

**Table 2 - Population growth in intercensal periods - Island of Mauritius, 1851 - 2000**

Census Date	Population enumerated at census			Intercensal increase	Average annual rate of increase(%)
	Both sexes	Male	Female		
20 Nov. 1851	180,823	119,341	61,482	22,361	2.55
8 Apr. 1861	310,050	202,961	107,089	129,227	5.91
11 Apr. 1871	316,042	193,575	122,467	5,992	0.19
4 Apr. 1881	359,874	208,655	151,219	43,832	1.31
6 Mar. 1891	370,588	206,038	164,550	10,714	0.29
1 Apr. 1901	371,023	199,552	171,471	435	0.01
31 Mar. 1911	368,791	194,095	174,696	-2,232	-0.06
21 May. 1921	376,485	194,108	182,377	7,694	0.21
26 Apr. 1931	393,238	200,609	192,629	16,753	0.44
11 Jun. 1944	419,185	210,326	208,859	25,947	0.49
29 Jun. 1952	501,415	252,032	249,383	82,230	2.26
30 Jun. 1962 <sup>1</sup>	681,619	342,306	339,313	180,204	3.12
30 Jun. 1972 <sup>1</sup>	826,199	413,580	412,619	144,580	1.94
2 Jul. 1983 <sup>1</sup>	966,863	481,368	485,495	140,664	1.44
1 Jul. 1990 <sup>2</sup>	1,022,456	510,676	511,780	55,593	0.80
1 Jul. 2000 <sup>2</sup>	1,143,069	566,056	577,013	120,613	1.12

<sup>1</sup> " De facto " population

<sup>2</sup> " De jure " population

**Table 3 - Population growth in intercensal periods - Island of Rodrigues,  
1851 - 2000**

Census Date	Population enumerated at census			Inter-censal increase	Average annual rate of increase (%)
	Both sexes	Male	Female		
20 Nov. 1851	495	327	168	-	-
8 Apr. 1861	693	464	229	198	3.65
11 Apr. 1871	1,108	693	415	415	4.80
4 Apr. 1881	1,431	812	619	323	2.59
6 Mar. 1891	2,068	1,154	914	637	3.75
1 Apr. 1901	3,162	1,685	1,477	1,094	4.34
31 Mar. 1911	4,829	2,523	2,306	1,667	4.33
21 May. 1921	6,584	3,300	3,284	1,755	3.15
26 Apr. 1931	8,202	4,033	4,169	1,618	2.22
11 Jun. 1944	11,885	5,740	6,145	3,683	2.89
29 Jun. 1952	13,333	5,947	7,386	1,448	1.45
30 Jun. 1962	18,335	9,062	9,273	5,002	3.24
30 Jun. 1972 <sup>1</sup>	24,769	12,270	12,499	6,434	3.05
2 Jul. 1983 <sup>1</sup>	33,082	16,552	16,530	8,313	2.67
1 Jul. 1990 <sup>2</sup>	34,204	17,084	17,120	1,122	0.48
1 Jul. 2000 <sup>2</sup>	35,779	17,700	18,079	1,575	0.45

<sup>1</sup> "De facto" population

<sup>2</sup> "De jure" population



**Table 4 - Estimated resident population by geographical district and sex - Republic of Mauritius, 2001 & 2002**  
(End of year estimates) <sup>1</sup>

Geographical district	Area (km <sup>2</sup> )	31st December 2001			31st December 2002		
		Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Port Louis	42.7	129,551	64,274	65,277	129,973	64,438	65,535
Pamplemousses	178.7	125,668	62,261	63,407	127,243	63,015	64,228
Riviere du Rempart	147.6	101,361	50,355	51,006	102,453	50,846	51,607
Flacq	297.9	130,270	65,280	64,990	131,612	65,895	65,717
Grand Port	260.3	109,115	54,196	54,919	110,036	54,628	55,408
Savanne	244.8	67,584	33,457	34,127	68,045	33,700	34,345
Plaines Wilhems	203.3	365,441	179,441	186,000	368,439	180,854	187,585
Moka	230.5	76,975	38,054	38,921	77,589	38,328	39,261
Black River	259.0	63,338	31,897	31,441	64,799	32,612	32,187
Island of Mauritius	1,864.8	1,169,303	579,215	590,088	1,180,189	584,316	595,873
Island of Rodrigues	104.0	36,085	17,853	18,232	36,303	17,981	18,322
Other <sup>2</sup>	71.2	289	193	96	289	193	96
<b>Republic of Mauritius</b>	<b>2,040.0</b>	<b>1,205,677</b>	<b>597,261</b>	<b>608,416</b>	<b>1,216,781</b>	<b>602,490</b>	<b>614,291</b>

<sup>1</sup> based on the 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children. Internal migration within districts is assumed to be the same as the net annual internal migration during 1995 - 2000 (obtained from the 2000 census)

<sup>2</sup> Other includes Agalega and St Brandon.

**Table 5 - Population and vital statistics - Republic of Mauritius, 1967 - 2002**

Year	Population at mid-year <sup>1</sup>	Live births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Still births	Civil marriages <sup>2</sup>	Divorces <sup>3</sup>
1967	788,544	24,471	6,750	1,726	1,107	4,105	123
1968	803,447	25,409	7,382	1,790	1,140	4,119	120
1969	815,327	22,621	6,733	1,628	988	4,055	133
1970	828,922	22,766	6,520	1,312	892	4,651	126
1971	840,602	21,926	6,436	1,146	882	4,478	179
1972	850,968	21,495	6,753	1,399	749	5,214	136
1973	869,334	20,015	6,779	1,277	701	5,679	147
1974	880,650	24,002	6,424	1,113	879	6,905	117
1975	892,045	22,557	7,201	1,130	932	7,069	110
1976	903,610	23,274	6,968	936	808	8,451	98
1977	918,005	23,859	7,154	1,087	742	8,632	197
1978	933,499	25,278	6,596	876	680	10,741	255
1979	949,888	26,163	6,871	891	668	9,327	265
1980	966,039	26,294	6,919	864	662	8,894	351
1981	980,462	24,967	6,653	884	590	8,406	305
1982	992,521	22,459	6,584	682	458	10,768	312
1983	1,001,691	21,073	6,532	570	403	10,255	361
1984	1,012,221	20,332	6,646	505	404	10,865	471
1985	1,020,528	19,376	6,906	487	383	11,245	460
1986	1,028,360	19,170	6,805	524	365	10,556	616
1987	1,036,082	20,033	6,753	504	363	11,392	842
1988	1,043,239	20,941	6,879	471	374	11,453	740
1989	1,051,260	21,822	7,149	498	415	11,197	711
1990	1,058,775	22,602	7,031	462	365	11,425	549
1991	1,070,266	22,197	7,027	413	400	11,295	707
1992	1,084,441	22,902	7,023	426	291	11,408	781
1993	1,097,374	22,329	7,433	438	337	11,576	762
1994	1,112,846	21,795	7,402	394	274	11,414	733
1995	1,122,457	20,549	7,465	404	299	10,624	801
1996	1,133,996	20,763	7,670	459	266	10,700	792
1997	1,148,284	20,012	7,986	406	257	10,887	891
1998	1,160,421	19,434	7,839	376	227	10,898	1,012
1999	1,175,267	20,311	7,944	396	226	11,295	1,150
2000	1,186,873	20,205	7,982	322	266	10,963	1,191
2001	1,199,881	19,696	7,983	282	244	10,635	1,512
2002	1,210,196	19,983	8,310	297	203	10,484	1,294

<sup>1</sup> Figures for 1967 - 1971 have been revised in the light of the final 1972 population census data.  
Figures for 1973 - 1982, 1984 - 1989 and 1991 - 1999 have been respectively revised in the light of the 1983, 1990 and 2000 population census data adjusted for underenumeration of young children.

<sup>2</sup> The increase in the number of civil marriages as from 1982 is due largely to improved registration of religious marriages with the coming into force of a new Civil Status Act as from January, 1982.

<sup>3</sup> Source: Judicial Department

Table 6 - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Island of Mauritius, 1993 - 2002

Year	Population at beginning of year	Natural movement			Net migration	Total increase	% change during the year due to:			Population at end of year
		Live births	Deaths	Natural increase			Natural increase	Migration	Total	
1993	1,057,379	21,667	7,275	14,392	-1,092	13,300	1.36	-0.10	1.26	1,070,679
1994	1,070,679	21,050	7,234	13,816	-1,912	11,904	1.29	-0.18	1.11	1,082,583
1995	1,082,583	19,824	7,298	12,526	-1,069	11,457	1.16	-0.10	1.06	1,094,040
1996	1,094,040	20,049	7,508	12,541	307	12,848	1.15	+0.03	1.18	1,106,888
1997	1,106,888	19,331	7,798	11,533	1,663	13,196	1.04	+0.15	1.19	1,120,084
1998	1,120,084	18,744	7,651	11,093	314	11,407	0.99	+0.03	1.02	1,131,491
1999	1,131,491	19,543	7,791	11,752	1,478	13,230	1.04	+0.13	1.17	1,144,721
2000	1,144,721	19,398	7,806	11,592	977	12,569	1.01	+0.09	1.10	1,157,290
2001	1,157,290	18,884	7,761	11,123	890	12,013	0.96	+0.08	1.04	1,169,303
2002	1,169,303	19,169	8,081	11,088	-202	10,886	0.95	-0.02	0.93	1,180,189

Table 7 - Growth of the resident population and vital statistics - Island of Rodrigues, 1993 - 2002

Year	Population at beginning of year	Natural movement			Net migration	Total increase	% change during the year due to:			Population at end of year
		Live births	Deaths	Natural increase			Natural increase	Migration	Total	
1993	34,509	662	158	504	-458	46	1.46	-1.33	0.13	34,555
1994	34,509	745	168	577	-425	152	1.67	-1.23	0.44	34,707
1995	34,707	725	167	558	-397	161	1.61	-1.14	0.47	34,868
1996	34,868	714	162	552	-348	204	1.58	-1.00	0.58	35,072
1997	35,072	681	188	493	-305	188	1.41	-0.87	0.54	35,260
1998	35,260	690	188	502	-351	151	1.42	-1.00	0.42	35,411
1999	35,411	768	153	615	-386	229	1.74	-1.09	0.65	35,640
2000	35,640	807	176	631	-386	245	1.77	-1.08	0.69	35,885
2001	35,885	812	222	590	-390	200	1.64	-1.09	0.55	36,085
2002	36,085	814	229	585	-367	218	1.62	-1.02	0.60	36,303

## II - PASSENGER TRAFFIC

**Table 8 - Passenger traffic <sup>1</sup> by sex, 1982 - 2002**

Period	Arrivals			Departures			Net overseas migration
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	
1982	166,669	93,299	73,370	171,991	95,061	76,930	-5,322
1983	177,665	101,125	76,540	182,005	102,785	79,220	-4,340
1984	198,461	113,201	85,260	202,983	114,203	88,780	-4,522
1985	212,860	120,940	91,920	215,000	119,780	95,220	-2,140
1986	235,640	129,600	106,040	236,850	132,740	104,110	-1,210
1987	293,160	161,030	132,130	294,970	160,670	134,300	-1,810
1988	343,940	186,800	157,140	341,330	187,580	153,750	2,610
1989	379,080	208,860	170,220	385,050	213,230	171,820	-5,970
1990	418,200	232,050	186,150	422,230	233,280	188,950	-4,030
1991	426,680	239,630	187,050	425,620	236,190	189,430	1,060
1992	475,920	262,660	213,260	472,010	258,320	213,690	3,910
1993	523,740	280,910	242,830	520,400	281,100	239,300	3,340
1994	558,136	295,259	262,877	557,575	295,500	262,075	561
1995	579,993	304,705	275,288	578,481	304,245	274,236	1,512
1996	672,070	350,561	321,509	663,501	345,892	317,609	8,569
1997	743,291	378,593	364,698	737,523	379,841	357,682	5,768
1998	778,574	367,914	410,660	775,998	382,567	393,431	2,576
1999	823,085	434,667	388,418	809,233	428,234	380,999	13,852
2000	915,203	480,879	434,324	895,569	469,902	425,667	19,634
2001	910,489	477,984	432,505	903,073	473,096	429,977	7,416
2002	951,090	498,177	452,913	942,876	494,212	448,664	8,214

<sup>1</sup> Includes traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues. As from 1994, figures of the passenger traffic also include cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 5935, 5725, 12460, 13261, 12806, 10910, 11096, 5511 and 18203 for 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.



**Table 9 - Passenger traffic <sup>1</sup> between Islands of Mauritius and Rodrigues,  
1982 - 2002**

Period	Arrivals in Rodrigues			Departures from Rodrigues			Net overseas migration
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	
1982	6,333	4,144	2,189	5,680	3,778	1,902	+653
1983	6,556	4,182	2,374	6,520	4,182	2,338	+36
1984	7,471	4,762	2,709	7,172	4,452	2,720	+299
1985	7,277	4,725	2,552	7,286	4,603	2,683	-9
1986	7,975	5,103	2,872	7,906	4,976	2,930	+69
1987	8,255	5,135	3,120	8,337	5,135	3,202	-82
1988	9,146	5,903	3,243	10,128	6,330	3,798	-982
1989	11,501	7,234	4,267	11,092	6,831	4,261	+409
1990	13,110	8,023	5,087	13,492	7,949	5,543	-382
1991	15,125	9,594	5,531	16,178	10,117	6,061	-1,053
1992	19,064	11,629	7,435	19,865	11,887	7,978	-801
1993	22,819	13,973	8,846	23,476	14,094	9,382	-657
1994	23,292	14,174	9,118	23,636	14,177	9,459	-344
1995	24,150	14,532	9,618	24,820	14,603	10,217	-670
1996	29,129	16,947	12,182	29,370	16,861	12,509	-241
1997	37,765	22,120	15,645	38,014	22,096	15,918	-249
1998	40,648	24,181	16,467	40,553	23,072	17,481	+95
1999	45,117	28,334	16,733	45,154	26,961	18,193	-37
2000	49,530	28,280	21,250	49,981	29,436	20,545	-451
2001	52,777	30,320	22,457	52,307	30,760	21,547	+470
2002	59,984	34,004	25,980	60,355	34,647	25,708	-371

<sup>1</sup> Includes residents and non - residents

Fig 1 - Passenger traffic: Total arrivals by sex, 1986 - 2002

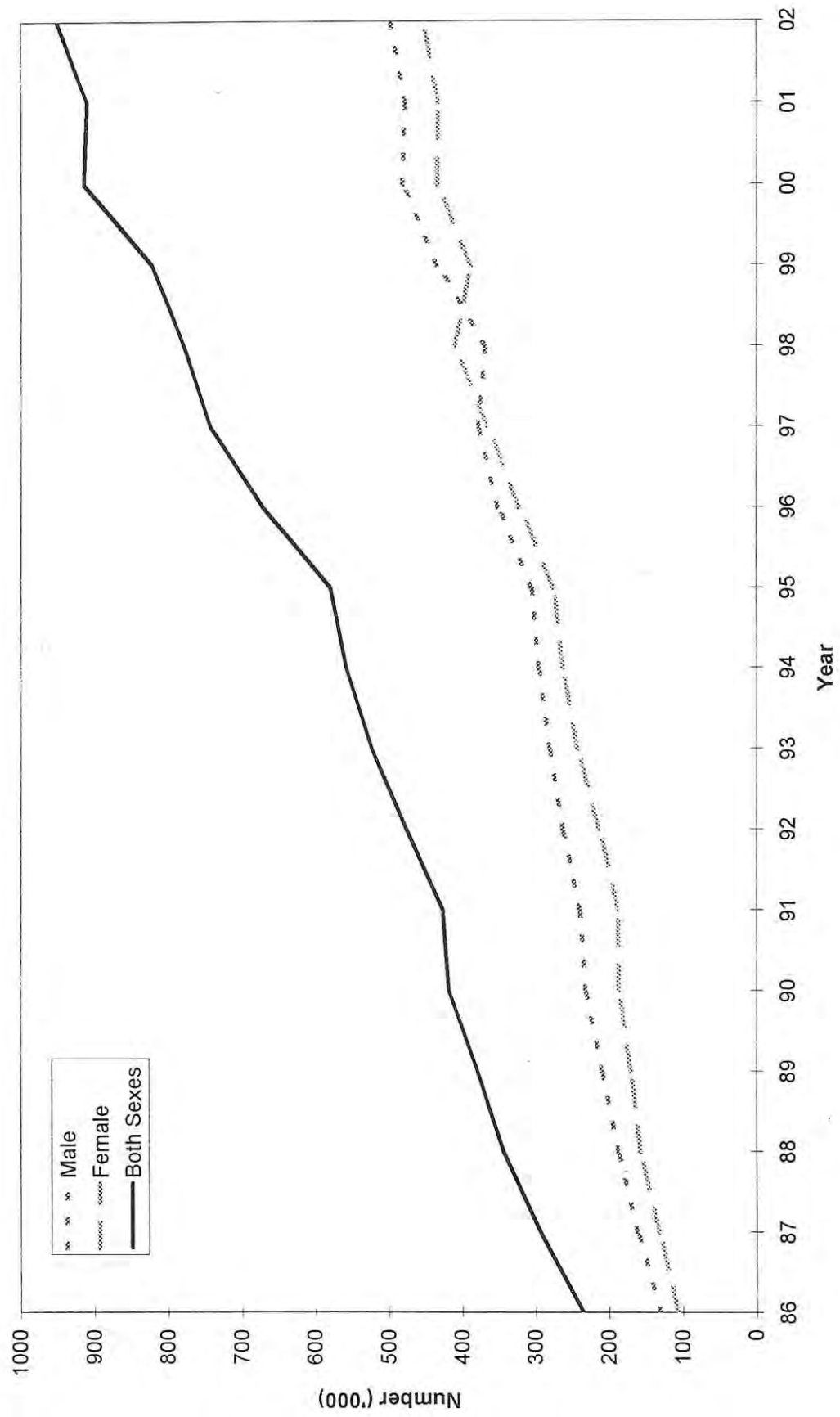


Fig 2 - Passenger traffic: Total departures by sex, 1986 - 2002

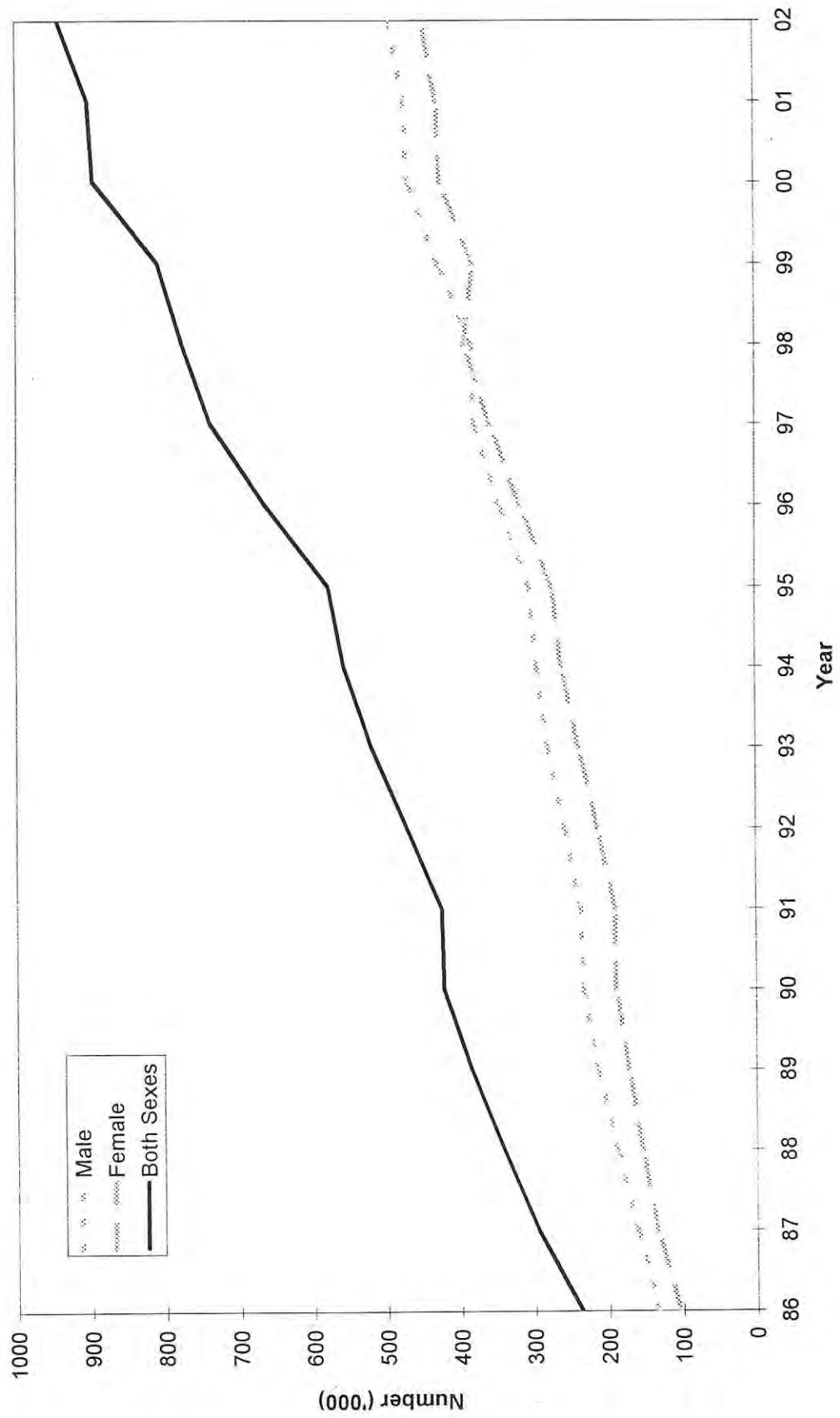
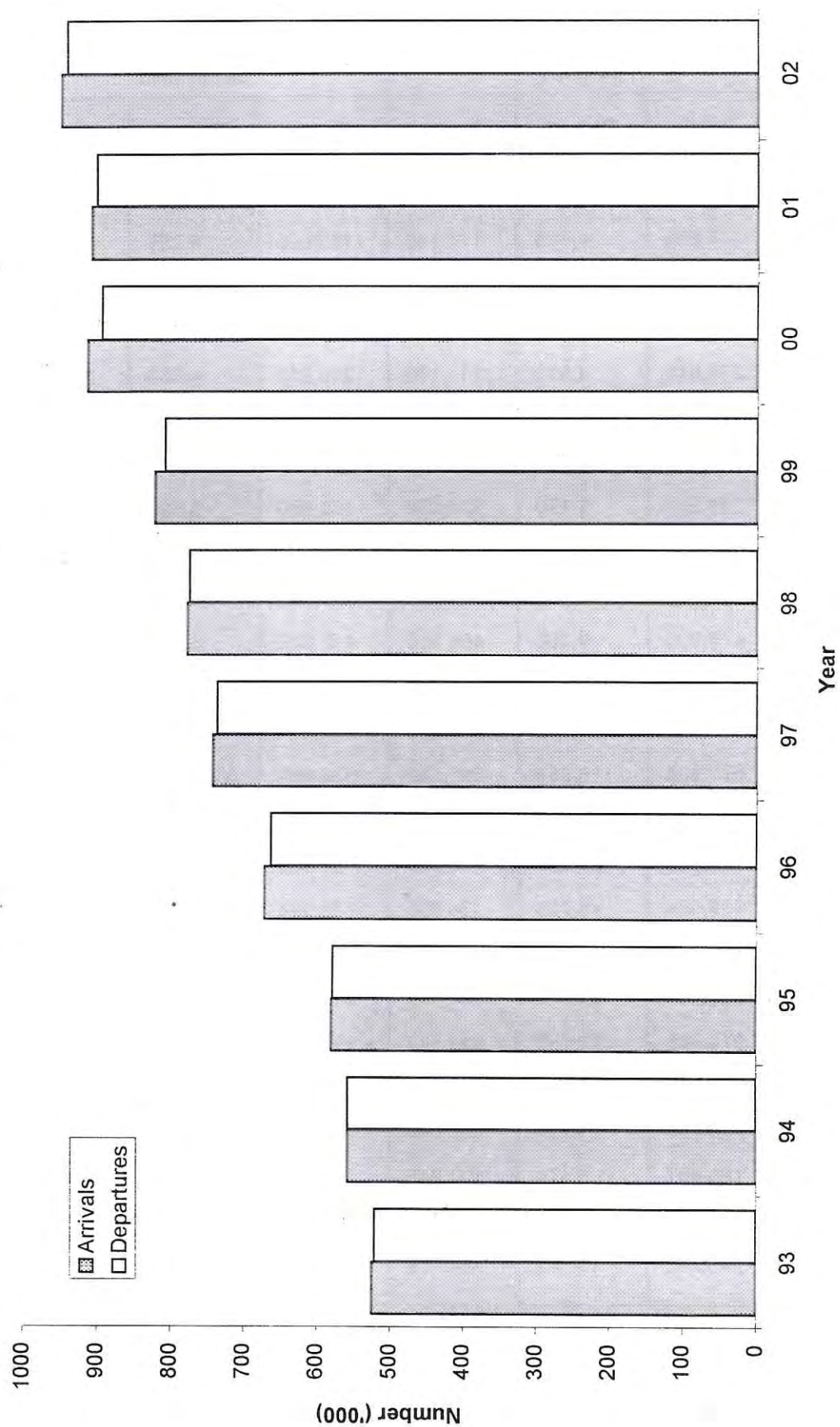


Fig. 3 - Passenger traffic : Total arrivals and total departures, 1993 - 2002



**Table 10 - Passenger traffic <sup>1</sup> by mode of transport, 1982 - 2002**

Period	Arrivals			Departures			Net overseas migration
	Total	By sea	By air	Total	By sea	By air	
1982	166,669	3,839	162,830	171,991	4,421	167,570	-5,322
1983	177,665	4,915	172,750	182,005	4,755	177,250	-4,340
1984	198,461	5,541	192,920	202,983	5,553	197,430	-4,522
1985	212,860	4,450	208,410	215,000	5,020	209,980	-2,140
1986	235,640	4,510	231,130	236,850	4,300	232,550	-1,210
1987	293,160	4,870	288,290	294,970	5,230	289,740	-1,810
1988	343,940	5,260	338,680	341,330	4,340	336,990	+2,610
1989	379,080	3,190	375,890	385,050	3,620	381,430	-5,970
1990	418,200	3,820	414,380	422,230	3,820	418,410	-4,030
1991	426,680	7,290	419,390	425,620	5,820	419,800	+1,060
1992	475,920	9,260	466,660	472,010	6,780	465,230	+3,910
1993	523,740	13,530	510,210	520,400	11,890	508,510	+3,340
1994	558,136	19,461	538,675	557,575	17,663	539,912	+561
1995	579,993	18,854	561,139	578,481	17,895	560,586	+1,512
1996	672,070	27,308	644,762	663,501	24,794	638,707	+8,569
1997	743,291	29,756	713,535	737,523	27,390	710,133	+5,768
1998	778,574	43,706	734,868	775,998	40,809	735,189	+2,576
1999	823,085	40,499	782,586	809,233	39,230	770,003	+13,852
2000	915,203	34,262	880,941	895,569	33,368	862,201	+19,634
2001	910,489	27,847	882,642	903,073	26,313	876,760	+7,416
2002	951,090	43,890	907,200	942,876	42,630	900,246	+8,214
2002:1st Qr.	248,097	21,234	226,863	259,779	21,363	238,416	-11,682
2nd Qr.	199,457	5,474	193,983	203,511	5,353	198,158	-4,054
3rd Qr.	230,241	6,059	224,182	228,842	5,565	223,277	+1,399
4th Qr.	273,295	11,123	262,172	250,744	10,349	240,395	+22,551

<sup>1</sup> Includes traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues. As from 1994, figures of the passenger traffic also include cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 5935, 5725, 12460, 13261, 12806, 10910, 11096, 5511 and 18203 for 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.



**Table 11 - Passenger traffic <sup>1</sup> by month, 1999 - 2002**

Month	Arrivals				Departures				Excess of arrivals over departures			
	1999	2000	2001	2002	1999	2000	2001	2002	1999	2000	2001	2002
January	82,944	86,541	88,439	87,565	91,984	92,263	101,313	102,805	-9,040	-5,722	-12,874	-15,240
February	60,062	69,730	65,803	66,955	61,752	71,402	65,803	66,570	-1,690	-1,672	-	+385
March	67,730	74,775	77,230	93,577	65,354	74,627	78,365	90,404	+2,376	+148	-1,135	+3,173
April	62,493	78,976	74,420	68,846	67,103	76,971	72,953	74,424	-4,610	+2,005	+1,467	-5,578
May	58,088	69,435	70,014	72,054	56,065	68,409	74,003	74,316	+2,023	+1,026	-3,989	-2,262
June	54,745	59,569	57,970	58,557	54,234	60,682	55,188	54,771	+511	-1,113	+2,782	+3,786
July	64,673	76,217	81,692	80,392	54,454	62,511	67,941	67,111	+10,219	+13,706	+13,751	+13,281
August	81,954	86,893	78,614	80,216	85,719	95,070	89,139	91,723	-3,765	-8,177	-10,525	-11,507
September	58,379	65,227	67,520	69,633	58,370	67,811	70,012	70,008	+9	-2,584	-2,492	-375
October	74,201	79,592	77,685	87,080	67,663	69,948	74,239	83,068	+6,538	+9,644	+3,446	+4,012
November	78,414	79,014	77,644	84,799	78,293	83,201	75,425	82,260	+121	-4,187	+2,219	+2,539
December	79,402	89,234	93,458	101,416	68,242	72,674	78,692	85,416	+11,160	+16,560	+14,766	+16,000
<b>Whole Year</b>	<b>823,085</b>	<b>915,203</b>	<b>910,489</b>	<b>951,090</b>	<b>809,233</b>	<b>895,569</b>	<b>903,073</b>	<b>942,876</b>	<b>+13,852</b>	<b>+19,634</b>	<b>+7,416</b>	<b>+8,214</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues. Figures of the passenger traffic also include cruise excursionists, i.e. passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 10910, 11096, 5511 and 18203 for 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.

**Table 12 - Arrivals <sup>1</sup> by country of original embarkation, 1997 - 2002**

Country of original embarkation	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001 <sup>2</sup>	2002
Australia	12,997	11,831	10,929	12,617	12,164	11,586
Belgium	7,653	5,617	8,011	6,479	8,547	8,719
France	120,036	126,896	149,974	175,482	176,775	185,142
Germany	37,520	35,551	39,577	47,117	46,930	47,958
Hong Kong SAR <sup>3</sup>	9,642	7,181	7,099	11,429	15,246	19,081
India	29,422	28,565	32,345	35,484	38,682	38,388
Italy	33,872	33,619	34,243	34,570	33,910	33,239
Japan	1,101	459	425	440	185	297
Kenya	4,572	13,470	6,234	5,456	5,402	5,318
Malagasy Rep.	15,771	15,931	16,703	17,606	17,421	14,898
Reunion Island	192,316	214,869	210,900	215,409	219,681	218,488
Rodrigues	38,014	40,553	45,154	49,981	52,307	59,984
Seychelles	15,481	20,703	16,692	18,821	18,766	22,151
Singapore	17,612	22,374	26,135	27,429	24,577	19,804
S. Africa Rep. of	76,776	75,451	74,343	79,404	82,262	84,713
Switzerland	16,368	18,132	18,262	26,023	20,479	16,753
United Kingdom	58,288	55,149	73,649	92,572	94,591	96,463
Zambia	139	73	62	123	49	37
Zimbabwe	9,497	9,791	8,137	6,263	5,251	4,042
Other & not stated	46,214	42,359	44,211	52,498	37,264	64,029
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>743,291</b>	<b>778,574</b>	<b>823,085</b>	<b>915,203</b>	<b>910,489</b>	<b>951,090</b>

<sup>1</sup> As from 1994, figures of the passenger traffic include cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 13261, 12806, 10910, 11096, 5511 and 18203 for 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.

<sup>2</sup> Revised

<sup>3</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

**Table 13 - Departures <sup>1</sup> by country of final destination, 1997 - 2002**

<b>Country of final destination</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2001 <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>2002</b>
Australia	12,806	10,674	9,900	11,770	12,336	11,063
Belgium	6,152	3,475	5,765	7,399	4,211	5,163
France	122,231	121,774	160,944	184,158	196,939	202,902
Germany	38,861	35,602	37,802	47,306	46,918	52,460
Hong Kong SAR <sup>3</sup>	9,148	6,248	6,323	10,088	14,403	16,025
India	27,794	26,929	29,291	34,702	37,222	36,499
Italy	32,691	30,670	31,195	32,835	31,665	29,479
Japan	1,099	249	234	149	65	22
Kenya	4,605	16,464	6,449	3,904	1,985	4,103
Malagasy Rep.	14,838	16,343	16,328	18,966	18,478	15,302
Reunion Island	200,216	231,879	209,228	209,273	208,389	210,864
Rodrigues	37,765	40,648	45,117	49,530	52,777	60,355
Seychelles	13,144	19,770	17,066	17,418	17,494	21,411
Singapore	20,353	22,705	26,617	27,664	21,541	23,382
S. Africa Rep. of	74,437	74,756	71,421	76,886	77,848	80,942
Switzerland	14,498	18,048	17,289	23,668	21,402	18,741
United Kingdom	61,775	57,262	77,252	93,451	104,135	98,989
Zambia	69	58	12	37	-	1
Zimbabwe	8,034	7,848	5,882	5,158	4,777	4,189
Other & not stated	37,007	34,596	35,118	41,207	30,488	50 984
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>737,523</b>	<b>775,998</b>	<b>809,233</b>	<b>895,569</b>	<b>903,073</b>	<b>942,876</b>

<sup>1</sup> As from 1994, figures of the passenger traffic include cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which number 13261, 12806, 10910, 11096, 5571 and 19021 for 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.

<sup>2</sup> Revised

<sup>3</sup> Special Administrative Region of china

Table 14 - Monthly passenger traffic <sup>1</sup> by type of passenger, 2002

Type of passenger	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Whole Year
<b>Arrivals</b>													
Visitors <sup>2</sup>	68,608	53,148	75,259	49,575	54,495	39,659	57,742	54,239	50,676	67,186	64,141	74,577	709,305
- On holiday	58,779	46,770	62,532	43,084	48,190	34,784	51,533	47,954	43,995	58,267	56,271	67,965	620,124
- On business	1,614	1,821	2,328	2,748	2,823	2,047	2,310	2,166	2,834	3,381	2,624	1,862	28,558
- In transit	7,672	3,868	9,660	3,128	2,657	2,101	3,033	3,355	2,962	4,579	4,484	4,248	51,747
- Other and not stated	543	689	739	615	825	727	866	764	885	959	762	502	8,876
Mauritian residents	17,162	12,402	16,636	17,709	16,115	17,188	21,002	23,719	17,158	17,906	18,951	25,001	220,949
Other <sup>3</sup>	1,795	1,405	1,682	1,562	1,444	1,710	1,648	2,258	1,799	1,988	1,707	1,838	20,836
<b>Total arrivals</b>	<b>87,565</b>	<b>66,955</b>	<b>93,577</b>	<b>68,846</b>	<b>72,054</b>	<b>58,557</b>	<b>80,392</b>	<b>80,216</b>	<b>69,633</b>	<b>87,080</b>	<b>84,799</b>	<b>101,416</b>	<b>951,090</b>
<b>Departures</b>													
Visitors	83,188	51,406	73,144	54,602	57,573	38,353	46,525	64,750	47,780	64,492	62,483	60,252	704,548
Mauritian residents	18,275	14,041	15,926	18,347	15,439	14,983	18,820	25,635	21,068	17,324	18,692	23,339	221,889
Other	1,342	1,123	1,334	1,475	1,304	1,435	1,766	1,338	1,160	1,252	1,085	1,825	16,439
<b>Total departures</b>	<b>102,805</b>	<b>66,570</b>	<b>90,404</b>	<b>74,424</b>	<b>74,316</b>	<b>54,771</b>	<b>67,111</b>	<b>91,723</b>	<b>70,008</b>	<b>83,068</b>	<b>82,260</b>	<b>85,416</b>	<b>942,876</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues

<sup>2</sup> Including non-residents who left the airport but stayed in the country for less than a day.

<sup>3</sup> Including contract workers

**Table 15 - Passenger traffic <sup>1</sup> by type of passenger, 1993 - 2002**

Type of passenger	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
<b>Arrivals</b>										
Visitors <sup>2</sup>	385,010	416,099	437,175	509,303	557,996	578,930	599,717	678,472	674,619	709,305
- On holiday	352,630	375,678	395,414	450,936	494,563	512,746	530,792	602,606	606,545	620,124
- On business	17,740	13,624	17,827	20,692	23,424	24,621	26,942	27,004	26,523	28,558
- In transit	11,430	21,123	20,530	33,129	34,384	35,479	34,703	38,984	33,263	51,747
- Other & not stated	3,210	5,674	3,404	4,546	5,625	6,084	7,280	9,878	8,288	8,876
Mauritians settled abroad <sup>3</sup>	24,010	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mauritian residents	105,850	130,483	130,490	149,777	170,977	183,218	206,806	216,680	215,803	220,949
Other <sup>4</sup>	8,870	11,554	12,328	12,990	14,318	16,426	16,562	20,051	20,067	20,836
<b>Total arrivals</b>	<b>523,740</b>	<b>558,136</b>	<b>579,993</b>	<b>672,070</b>	<b>743,291</b>	<b>778,574</b>	<b>823,085</b>	<b>915,203</b>	<b>910,489</b>	<b>951,090</b>
<b>Departures</b>										
Visitors	386,070	424,947	437,166	503,817	557,012	580,863	596,953	667,212	672,388	704,548
Mauritians settled abroad <sup>3</sup>	23,940	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mauritian residents	105,059	131,715	131,296	149,544	169,375	183,355	199,245	212,879	213,778	221,889
Other	5,331	913	10,019	10,140	11,136	11,780	13,035	15,478	16,907	16,439
<b>Total departures</b>	<b>520,400</b>	<b>557,575</b>	<b>578,481</b>	<b>663,501</b>	<b>737,523</b>	<b>775,998</b>	<b>809,233</b>	<b>895,569</b>	<b>903,073</b>	<b>942,876</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues. As from 1994, figures of the passenger traffic also include cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 5935, 5725, 12460, 13261, 12806, 10910, 11096, 5511 and 18203 for 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.

<sup>2</sup> Including non-residents who left the airport but stayed in the country for less than a day.

<sup>3</sup> As from 1994, Mauritians settled abroad are included among visitors.

<sup>4</sup> Including contract workers.



**Table 16 - Total arrivals <sup>1</sup> by age and sex, 1999 - 2002**

Age (years)	2001 <sup>2</sup>			2002			January - June 2002			July - December 2002		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	4,678	2,401	2,277	4,692	2,389	2,303	2,251	1,129	1,122	2,441	1,260	1,181
1 - 4	25,898	13,221	12,677	26,659	13,509	13,150	13,218	6,671	6,547	13,441	6,838	6,603
5 - 9	35,137	17,918	17,219	35,815	18,073	17,742	16,719	8,416	8,303	19,096	9,657	9,439
10 - 14	34,398	17,244	17,154	36,835	18,398	18,437	16,163	8,034	8,129	20,672	10,364	10,308
15 - 19	28,653	13,297	15,356	28,564	13,339	15,225	12,327	5,676	6,651	16,237	7,663	8,574
20 - 24	52,475	21,717	30,758	50,126	20,895	29,231	22,225	9,110	13,115	27,901	11,785	16,116
25 - 29	101,614	48,009	53,605	99,291	46,443	52,848	43,331	19,885	23,446	55,960	26,558	29,402
30 - 34	107,340	57,082	50,258	107,096	56,509	50,587	50,279	26,134	24,145	56,817	30,375	26,442
35 - 39	100,066	55,386	44,680	100,947	55,717	45,230	49,136	26,862	22,274	51,811	28,855	22,956
40 - 44	85,710	48,089	37,621	89,473	49,890	39,583	42,904	23,884	19,020	46,569	26,006	20,563
45 - 49	77,741	42,603	35,138	81,865	44,749	37,116	38,735	21,107	17,628	43,130	23,642	19,488
50 - 54	71,268	39,300	31,968	74,284	40,601	33,683	35,678	19,593	16,085	38,606	21,008	17,598
55 - 59	50,154	27,395	22,759	55,605	30,677	24,928	26,183	14,437	11,746	29,422	16,240	13,182
60 - 64	34,766	18,565	16,201	36,890	19,814	17,076	17,408	9,385	8,023	19,482	10,429	9,053
65 - 69	21,761	11,418	10,343	22,867	12,092	10,775	10,655	5,750	4,905	12,212	6,342	5,870
70 & over	20,311	10,075	10,236	21,141	10,697	10,444	9,732	5,035	4,697	11,409	5,662	5,747
Not stated	58,519	34,265	24,254	78,940	44,385	34,555	40,610	22,859	17,751	38,330	21,526	16,804
<b>All ages</b>	<b>910,489</b>	<b>477,985</b>	<b>432,504</b>	<b>951,090</b>	<b>498,177</b>	<b>452,913</b>	<b>447,554</b>	<b>233,967</b>	<b>213,587</b>	<b>503,536</b>	<b>264,210</b>	<b>239,326</b>

<sup>1</sup> Include arrivals from Rodrigues and cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 10910, 11096, 5511 and 18203 for 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.

<sup>2</sup> Revised

**Table 16 (cont'd) - Total arrivals <sup>1</sup> by age and sex, 1999 - 2002**

Age (years)	2000 <sup>2</sup>			2001 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2001 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2001 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	4,303	2,214	2,089	4,678	2,401	2,277	2,154	1,133	1,021	2,524	1,268	1,256
1 - 4	25,930	13,259	12,671	25,898	13,221	12,677	12,893	6,605	6,288	13,005	6,616	6,389
5 - 9	35,649	18,159	17,490	35,137	17,918	17,219	16,249	8,271	7,978	18,888	9,647	9,241
10 - 14	34,795	17,487	17,308	34,398	17,244	17,154	15,059	7,498	7,561	19,339	9,746	9,593
15 - 19	28,327	13,177	15,150	28,653	13,297	15,356	12,341	5,617	6,724	16,312	7,680	8,632
20 - 24	52,480	21,407	31,073	52,475	21,717	30,758	23,541	9,835	13,706	28,934	11,882	17,052
25 - 29	103,664	48,966	54,698	101,614	48,009	53,605	44,447	20,891	23,556	57,167	27,118	30,049
30 - 34	108,215	57,547	50,668	107,340	57,082	50,258	51,098	26,938	24,160	56,242	30,144	26,098
35 - 39	99,798	55,616	44,182	100,066	55,386	44,680	49,497	27,589	21,908	50,569	27,797	22,772
40 - 44	85,211	47,698	37,513	85,710	48,089	37,621	41,872	23,697	18,175	43,838	24,392	19,446
45 - 49	78,813	43,401	35,412	77,741	42,603	35,138	37,752	20,904	16,848	39,989	21,699	18,290
50 - 54	70,006	38,439	31,567	71,268	39,300	31,968	35,357	19,460	15,897	35,911	19,840	16,071
55 - 59	49,344	27,087	22,257	50,154	27,395	22,759	24,778	13,614	11,164	25,376	13,781	11,595
60 - 64	34,823	18,289	16,534	34,766	18,565	16,201	17,222	9,345	7,877	17,544	9,220	8,324
65 - 69	21,476	11,266	10,210	21,761	11,418	10,343	10,545	5,657	4,888	11,216	5,761	5,455
70 & over	20,730	10,384	10,346	20,311	10,075	10,236	9,632	4,902	4,730	10,679	5,173	5,506
Not stated	61,639	36,483	25,156	58,519	34,265	24,254	29,439	17,194	12,245	29,080	17,071	12,009
<b>All ages</b>	<b>915,203</b>	<b>480,879</b>	<b>434,324</b>	<b>910,489</b>	<b>477,985</b>	<b>432,504</b>	<b>433,876</b>	<b>229,150</b>	<b>204,726</b>	<b>476,613</b>	<b>248,835</b>	<b>227,778</b>

<sup>1</sup> Include arrivals from Rodrigues and cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 10910, 11096, 5511 and 18203 for 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.

<sup>2</sup> Revised

Table 16 (cont'd) - Total arrivals<sup>1</sup> by age and sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	1999			2000 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2000 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2000 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	3,756	1,922	1,834	4,303	2,214	2,089	2,071	1,043	1,028	2,232	1,171	1,061
1 - 4	23,084	11,870	11,214	25,930	13,259	12,671	13,175	6,742	6,433	12,755	6,517	6,238
5 - 9	31,613	16,153	15,460	35,649	18,159	17,490	16,924	8,609	8,315	18,725	9,550	9,175
10 - 14	29,839	14,849	14,990	34,795	17,487	17,308	15,411	7,771	7,640	19,384	9,716	9,668
15 - 19	25,550	12,057	13,493	28,327	13,177	15,150	12,152	5,742	6,410	16,175	7,435	8,740
20 - 24	48,713	20,380	28,333	52,480	21,407	31,073	23,355	9,559	13,796	29,125	11,848	17,277
25 - 29	94,926	45,322	49,604	103,664	48,966	54,698	45,575	21,413	24,162	58,089	27,553	30,536
30 - 34	98,899	52,931	45,968	108,215	57,547	50,668	52,137	27,387	24,750	56,078	30,160	25,918
35 - 39	87,491	49,077	38,414	99,798	55,616	44,182	49,283	27,598	21,685	50,515	28,018	22,497
40 - 44	75,317	42,211	33,106	85,211	47,698	37,513	41,639	23,544	18,095	43,572	24,154	19,418
45 - 49	70,753	39,174	31,579	78,813	43,401	35,412	38,086	21,134	16,952	40,727	22,267	18,460
50 - 54	61,812	34,097	27,715	70,006	38,439	31,567	33,981	18,704	15,277	36,025	19,735	16,290
55 - 59	43,589	23,660	19,929	49,344	27,087	22,257	24,287	13,462	10,825	25,057	13,625	11,432
60 - 64	32,121	17,163	14,958	34,823	18,289	16,534	16,704	8,912	7,792	18,119	9,377	8,742
65 - 69	19,770	10,386	9,384	21,476	11,266	10,210	10,233	5,530	4,703	11,243	5,736	5,507
70 & over	19,774	9,844	9,930	20,730	10,384	10,346	9,426	4,862	4,564	11,304	5,522	5,782
Not stated	56,078	33,571	22,507	61,639	36,483	25,156	34,587	20,955	13,632	27,052	15,528	11,524
<b>All ages</b>	<b>823,085</b>	<b>434,667</b>	<b>388,418</b>	<b>915,203</b>	<b>480,879</b>	<b>434,324</b>	<b>439,026</b>	<b>232,967</b>	<b>206,059</b>	<b>476,177</b>	<b>247,912</b>	<b>228,265</b>

<sup>1</sup> Include arrivals from Rodrigues and cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 10910, 11096, 5511 and 18203 for 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation

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Table 17 - Total departures <sup>1</sup> by age and sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	2001 <sup>2</sup>			2002			January - June 2002			July - December 2002		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	4,115	2,133	1,982	4,365	2,200	2,165	2,318	1,149	1,169	2,047	1,051	996
1 - 4	25,954	13,249	12,705	26,443	13,440	13,003	14,308	7,223	7,085	12,135	6,217	5,918
5 - 9	35,342	18,013	17,329	36,014	18,151	17,863	18,311	9,257	9,054	17,703	8,894	8,809
10 - 14	34,666	17,342	17,324	37,043	18,513	18,530	17,340	8,567	8,773	19,703	9,946	9,757
15 - 19	29,585	13,747	15,838	29,701	13,901	15,800	13,076	6,042	7,034	16,625	7,859	8,766
20 - 24	51,111	21,609	29,502	49,621	20,941	28,680	22,553	9,400	13,153	27,068	11,541	15,527
25 - 29	98,568	46,771	51,797	96,292	45,299	50,993	43,200	20,011	23,169	53,092	25,288	27,804
30 - 34	105,178	55,641	49,537	104,649	55,067	49,582	51,294	26,425	24,869	53,355	28,642	24,713
35 - 39	98,554	54,337	44,217	99,158	54,533	44,625	50,965	27,770	23,195	48,193	26,763	21,430
40 - 44	85,631	47,931	37,700	89,049	49,466	39,583	45,146	25,012	20,134	43,903	24,454	19,449
45 - 49	76,965	41,938	35,027	80,429	43,958	36,471	39,958	21,729	18,229	40,471	22,229	18,242
50 - 54	71,462	39,167	32,295	74,292	40,487	33,805	37,383	20,425	16,958	36,909	20,062	16,847
55 - 59	49,595	27,096	22,499	54,912	30,262	24,650	27,247	14,968	12,279	27,665	15,294	12,371
60 - 64	35,046	18,717	16,329	37,024	19,870	17,154	18,497	9,963	8,534	18,527	9,907	8,620
65 - 69	21,754	11,354	10,400	22,693	12,013	10,680	11,285	6,046	5,239	11,408	5,967	5,441
70 & over	20,356	10,116	10,240	20,977	10,605	10,372	10,501	5,411	5,090	10,476	5,194	5,282
Not stated	59,191	33,935	25,256	80,214	45,506	34,708	39,908	22,737	17,171	40,306	22,769	17,537
<b>All ages</b>	<b>903,073</b>	<b>473,096</b>	<b>429,977</b>	<b>942,876</b>	<b>494,212</b>	<b>448,664</b>	<b>463,290</b>	<b>242,135</b>	<b>221,155</b>	<b>479,586</b>	<b>252,077</b>	<b>227,509</b>

<sup>1</sup> Include departures to Rodrigues and cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 10910, 11096, 5571 and 19021 for 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.

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**Table 17 (cont'd) - Total departures<sup>1</sup> by age and sex, 1999 - 2002**

Age (years)	2000 <sup>2</sup>			2001 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2001 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2001 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	3,885	1,995	1,890	4,115	2,133	1,982	2,080	1,080	1,000	2,035	1,053	982
1 - 4	25,547	13,078	12,469	25,954	13,249	12,705	14,072	7,197	6,875	11,882	6,052	5,830
5 - 9	35,072	17,835	17,237	35,342	18,013	17,329	17,888	9,102	8,786	17,454	8,911	8,543
10 - 14	34,266	17,268	16,998	34,666	17,342	17,324	16,196	8,006	8,190	18,470	9,336	9,134
15 - 19	28,867	13,455	15,412	29,585	13,747	15,838	13,258	6,001	7,257	16,327	7,746	8,581
20 - 24	49,996	20,988	29,008	51,111	21,609	29,502	23,415	10,045	13,370	27,696	11,564	16,132
25 - 29	99,653	47,355	52,298	98,568	46,771	51,797	43,590	20,568	23,022	54,978	26,203	28,775
30 - 34	104,821	55,526	49,295	105,178	55,641	49,537	51,167	26,678	24,489	54,011	28,963	25,048
35 - 39	97,053	53,975	43,078	98,554	54,337	44,217	51,041	28,181	22,860	47,513	26,156	21,357
40 - 44	83,938	46,819	37,119	85,631	47,931	37,700	44,006	24,771	19,235	41,625	23,160	18,465
45 - 49	76,802	42,175	34,627	76,965	41,938	35,027	39,183	21,439	17,744	37,782	20,499	17,283
50 - 54	69,224	37,760	31,464	71,462	39,167	32,295	37,156	20,267	16,889	34,306	18,900	15,406
55 - 59	48,545	26,550	21,995	49,595	27,096	22,499	25,719	14,070	11,649	23,876	13,026	10,850
60 - 64	34,840	18,293	16,547	35,046	18,717	16,329	18,375	9,969	8,406	16,671	8,748	7,923
65 - 69	21,313	11,215	10,098	21,754	11,354	10,400	11,131	5,870	5,261	10,623	5,484	5,139
70 & over	20,547	10,281	10,266	20,356	10,116	10,240	10,507	5,361	5,146	9,849	4,755	5,094
Not stated	61,200	35,334	25,866	59,191	33,935	25,256	28,841	16,694	12,147	30,350	17,241	13,109
<b>All ages</b>	<b>895,569</b>	<b>469,902</b>	<b>425,667</b>	<b>903,073</b>	<b>473,096</b>	<b>429,977</b>	<b>447,625</b>	<b>235,299</b>	<b>212,326</b>	<b>455,448</b>	<b>237,797</b>	<b>217,651</b>

<sup>1</sup> Include departures to Rodrigues and cruise excursionists, i.e. passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 10910, 11096, 5571 and 19021 for 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.

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**Table 17 (cont'd) - Total departures<sup>1</sup> by age and sex, 1999 - 2002**

Age (years)	1999			2000 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2000 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2000 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	3,247	1,671	1,576	3,885	1,995	1,890	2,115	1,058	1,057	1,770	937	833
1 - 4	23,090	11,883	11,207	25,547	13,078	12,469	13,981	7,171	6,810	11,566	5,907	5,659
5 - 9	31,524	16,108	15,416	35,072	17,835	17,237	17,754	8,989	8,765	17,318	8,846	8,472
10 - 14	29,878	14,858	15,020	34,266	17,268	16,998	15,976	8,023	7,953	18,290	9,245	9,045
15 - 19	26,349	12,431	13,918	28,867	13,455	15,412	12,916	6,069	6,847	15,951	7,386	8,565
20 - 24	45,914	19,494	26,420	49,996	20,988	29,008	23,135	9,791	13,344	26,861	11,197	15,664
25 - 29	90,497	43,057	47,440	99,653	47,355	52,298	44,485	20,980	23,505	55,168	26,375	28,793
30 - 34	95,887	50,993	44,894	104,821	55,526	49,295	51,816	27,071	24,745	53,005	28,455	24,550
35 - 39	85,813	47,981	37,832	97,053	53,975	43,078	49,889	27,795	22,094	47,164	26,180	20,984
40 - 44	74,964	41,830	33,134	83,938	46,819	37,119	42,616	23,973	18,643	41,322	22,846	18,476
45 - 49	69,587	38,446	31,141	76,802	42,175	34,627	38,729	21,333	17,396	38,073	20,842	17,231
50 - 54	61,861	33,877	27,984	69,224	37,760	31,464	34,925	19,073	15,852	34,299	18,687	15,612
55 - 59	43,273	23,427	19,846	48,545	26,550	21,995	24,840	13,715	11,125	23,705	12,835	10,870
60 - 64	32,193	17,191	15,002	34,840	18,293	16,547	17,638	9,388	8,250	17,202	8,905	8,297
65 - 69	19,617	10,314	9,303	21,313	11,215	10,098	10,780	5,802	4,978	10,533	5,413	5,120
70 & over	19,512	9,684	9,828	20,547	10,281	10,266	10,070	5,185	4,885	10,477	5,096	5,381
Not stated	56,027	34,989	21,038	61,200	35,334	25,866	32,689	19,463	13,226	28,511	15,871	12,640
<b>All ages</b>	<b>809,233</b>	<b>428,234</b>	<b>380,999</b>	<b>895,569</b>	<b>469,902</b>	<b>425,667</b>	<b>444,354</b>	<b>234,879</b>	<b>209,475</b>	<b>451,215</b>	<b>235,023</b>	<b>216,192</b>

<sup>1</sup> Include departures to Rodrigues and cruise excursionists, i.e passengers and crews of cruise ships which numbered 10910, 11096, 5571 and 19021 for 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002 respectively, in accordance with the recommendations of the World Tourism Organisation.

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Table 18 - Excess of arrivals over departures <sup>1</sup> by age and sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	2001 <sup>2</sup>			2002			January - June 2002			July - December 2002		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	563	268	295	327	189	138	-67	-20	-47	394	209	185
1 - 4	-56	-28	-28	216	69	147	-1,090	-552	-538	1,306	621	685
5 - 9	-205	-95	-110	-199	-78	-121	-1,592	-841	-751	1,393	763	630
10 - 14	-268	-98	-170	-208	-115	-93	-1,177	-533	-644	969	418	551
15 - 19	-932	-450	-482	-1,137	-562	-575	-749	-366	-383	-388	-196	-192
20 - 24	1,364	108	1,256	505	-46	551	-328	-290	-38	833	244	589
25 - 29	3,046	1,238	1,808	2,999	1,144	1,855	131	-126	257	2,868	1,270	1,598
30 - 34	2,162	1,441	721	2,447	1,442	1,005	-1,015	-291	-724	3,462	1,733	1,729
35 - 39	1,512	1,049	463	1,789	1,184	605	-1,829	-908	-921	3,618	2,092	1,526
40 - 44	79	158	-79	424	424	0	-2,242	-1,128	-1,114	2,666	1,552	1,114
45 - 49	776	665	111	1,436	791	645	-1,223	-622	-601	2,659	1,413	1,246
50 - 54	-194	133	-327	-8	114	-122	-1,705	-832	-873	1,697	946	751
55 - 59	559	299	260	693	415	278	-1,064	-531	-533	1,757	946	811
60 - 64	-280	-152	-128	-134	-56	-78	-1,089	-578	-511	955	522	433
65 - 69	7	64	-57	174	79	95	-630	-296	-334	804	375	429
70 & over	-45	-41	-4	164	92	72	-769	-376	-393	933	468	465
Not stated	-672	330	-1,002	-1,274	-1,121	-153	702	122	580	-1,976	-1,243	-733
<b>All ages</b>	<b>7,416</b>	<b>4,889</b>	<b>2,527</b>	<b>8,214</b>	<b>3,965</b>	<b>4,249</b>	<b>-15,736</b>	<b>-8,168</b>	<b>-7,568</b>	<b>23,950</b>	<b>12,133</b>	<b>11,817</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues

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Table 18 (cont'd) - Excess of arrivals over departures <sup>1</sup> by age and sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	2000 <sup>2</sup>			2001 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2001 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2001 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	418	219	199	563	268	295	74	53	21	489	215	274
1 - 4	383	181	202	-56	-28	-28	-1,179	-592	-587	1,123	564	559
5 - 9	577	324	253	-205	-95	-110	-1,639	-831	-808	1,434	736	698
10 - 14	529	219	310	-268	-98	-170	-1,137	-508	-629	869	410	459
15 - 19	-540	-278	-262	-932	-450	-482	-917	-384	-533	-15	-66	51
20 - 24	2,484	419	2,065	1,364	108	1,256	126	-210	336	1,238	318	920
25 - 29	4,011	1,611	2,400	3,046	1,238	1,808	857	323	534	2,189	915	1,274
30 - 34	3,394	2,021	1,373	2,162	1,441	721	-69	260	-329	2,231	1,181	1,050
35 - 39	2,745	1,641	1,104	1,512	1,049	463	-1,544	-592	-952	3,056	1,641	1,415
40 - 44	1,273	879	394	79	158	-79	-2,134	-1,074	-1,060	2,213	1,232	981
45 - 49	2,011	1,226	785	776	665	111	-1,431	-535	-896	2,207	1,200	1,007
50 - 54	782	679	103	-194	133	-327	-1,799	-807	-992	1,605	940	665
55 - 59	799	537	262	559	299	260	-941	-456	-485	1,500	755	745
60 - 64	-17	-4	-13	-280	-152	-128	-1,153	-624	-529	873	472	401
65 - 69	163	51	112	7	64	-57	-586	-213	-373	593	277	316
70 & over	183	103	80	-45	-41	-4	-875	-459	-416	830	418	412
Not stated	439	1,149	-710	-672	330	-1,002	598	500	98	-1,270	-170	-1,100
<b>All ages</b>	<b>19,634</b>	<b>10,977</b>	<b>8,657</b>	<b>7,416</b>	<b>4,889</b>	<b>2,527</b>	<b>-13,749</b>	<b>-6,149</b>	<b>-7,600</b>	<b>21,165</b>	<b>11,038</b>	<b>10,127</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues

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Table 18 (cont'd) - Excess of arrivals over departures <sup>1</sup> by age and sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	1999			2000 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2000 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2000 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	509	251	258	418	219	199	-44	-15	-29	462	234	228
1 - 4	-6	-13	7	383	181	202	-806	-429	-377	1,189	610	579
5 - 9	89	45	44	577	324	253	-830	-380	-450	1,407	704	703
10 - 14	-39	-9	-30	529	219	310	-565	-252	-313	1,094	471	623
15 - 19	-799	-374	-425	-540	-278	-262	-764	-327	-437	224	49	175
20 - 24	2,799	886	1,913	2,484	419	2,065	220	-232	452	2,264	651	1,613
25 - 29	4,429	2,265	2,164	4,011	1,611	2,400	1,090	433	657	2,921	1,178	1,743
30 - 34	3,012	1,938	1,074	3,394	2,021	1,373	321	316	5	3,073	1,705	1,368
35 - 39	1,678	1,096	582	2,745	1,641	1,104	-606	-197	-409	3,351	1,838	1,513
40 - 44	353	381	-28	1,273	879	394	-977	-429	-548	2,250	1,308	942
45 - 49	1,166	728	438	2,011	1,226	785	-643	-199	-444	2,654	1,425	1,229
50 - 54	-49	220	-269	782	679	103	-944	-369	-575	1,726	1,048	678
55 - 59	316	233	83	799	537	262	-553	-253	-300	1,352	790	562
60 - 64	-72	-28	-44	-17	-4	-13	-934	-476	-458	917	472	445
65 - 69	153	72	81	163	51	112	-547	-272	-275	710	323	387
70 & over	262	160	102	183	103	80	-644	-323	-321	827	426	401
Not stated	51	-1,418	1,469	439	1,149	-710	1,898	1,492	406	-1,459	-343	-1,116
<b>All ages</b>	<b>13,852</b>	<b>6,433</b>	<b>7,419</b>	<b>19,634</b>	<b>10,977</b>	<b>8,657</b>	<b>-5,328</b>	<b>-1,912</b>	<b>-3,416</b>	<b>24,962</b>	<b>12,889</b>	<b>12,073</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues

<sup>2</sup> Revised



**Table 19 - Arrivals<sup>1</sup> of Mauritian residents by age and sex, 1999 - 2002**

Age (years)	2001			2002			January - June 2002			July - December 2002		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	638	310	328	603	316	287	289	140	149	314	176	138
1 - 4	3,680	1,859	1,821	3,521	1,789	1,732	1,641	839	802	1,880	950	930
5 - 9	5,054	2,600	2,454	4,859	2,494	2,365	1,976	1,012	964	2,883	1,482	1,401
10 - 14	5,127	2,677	2,450	5,274	2,701	2,573	2,033	1,024	1,009	3,241	1,677	1,564
15 - 19	6,027	2,983	3,044	5,506	2,712	2,794	2,444	1,211	1,233	3,062	1,501	1,561
20 - 24	14,480	7,179	7,301	13,055	6,402	6,653	5,933	2,960	2,973	7,122	3,442	3,680
25 - 29	15,148	8,007	7,141	14,811	7,746	7,065	6,587	3,451	3,136	8,224	4,295	3,929
30 - 34	17,760	10,457	7,303	16,291	9,456	6,835	7,396	4,346	3,050	8,895	5,110	3,785
35 - 39	20,283	12,169	8,114	19,287	11,568	7,719	8,720	5,365	3,355	10,567	6,203	4,364
40 - 44	18,648	10,965	7,683	18,477	10,905	7,572	8,116	4,939	3,177	10,361	5,966	4,395
45 - 49	17,131	9,902	7,229	17,533	9,882	7,651	7,680	4,380	3,300	9,853	5,502	4,351
50 - 54	13,813	7,634	6,179	14,947	8,167	6,780	6,557	3,683	2,874	8,390	4,484	3,906
55 - 59	9,053	4,767	4,286	9,900	5,242	4,658	4,233	2,237	1,996	5,667	3,005	2,662
60 - 64	6,946	3,360	3,586	6,998	3,464	3,534	3,098	1,538	1,560	3,900	1,926	1,974
65 - 69	4,735	2,364	2,371	4,843	2,407	2,436	2,088	1,063	1,025	2,755	1,344	1,411
70 & over	4,950	2,328	2,622	5,043	2,444	2,599	2,235	1,097	1,138	2,808	1,347	1,461
Not stated	52,330	30,770	21,560	60,001	34,012	25,989	26,186	14,941	11,245	33,815	19,071	14,744
<b>All ages</b>	<b>215,803</b>	<b>120,331</b>	<b>95,472</b>	<b>220,949</b>	<b>121,707</b>	<b>99,242</b>	<b>97,212</b>	<b>54,226</b>	<b>42,986</b>	<b>123,737</b>	<b>67,481</b>	<b>56,256</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including arrivals from Rodrigues



**Table 19 (cont'd) - Arrivals <sup>1</sup> of Mauritian residents by age and sex, 1999 - 2002**

Age (years)	2000 <sup>2</sup>			2001 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2001 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2001 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	674	343	331	638	310	328	294	144	150	344	166	178
1 - 4	3,630	1,852	1,778	3,680	1,859	1,821	1,673	830	843	2,007	1,029	978
5 - 9	5,177	2,710	2,467	5,054	2,600	2,454	2,040	1,059	981	3,014	1,541	1,473
10 - 14	5,190	2,715	2,475	5,127	2,677	2,450	1,999	1,052	947	3,128	1,625	1,503
15 - 19	6,388	3,202	3,186	6,027	2,983	3,044	2,731	1,342	1,389	3,296	1,641	1,655
20 - 24	14,767	7,143	7,624	14,480	7,179	7,301	6,631	3,296	3,335	7,849	3,883	3,966
25 - 29	16,336	8,805	7,531	15,148	8,007	7,141	7,057	3,759	3,298	8,091	4,248	3,843
30 - 34	19,708	11,715	7,993	17,760	10,457	7,303	8,485	5,115	3,370	9,275	5,342	3,933
35 - 39	20,889	12,664	8,225	20,283	12,169	8,114	9,426	5,890	3,536	10,857	6,279	4,578
40 - 44	19,043	11,251	7,792	18,648	10,965	7,683	8,547	5,126	3,421	10,101	5,839	4,262
45 - 49	17,314	10,035	7,279	17,131	9,902	7,229	7,738	4,592	3,146	9,393	5,310	4,083
50 - 54	12,638	6,985	5,653	13,813	7,634	6,179	6,253	3,484	2,769	7,560	4,150	3,410
55 - 59	8,664	4,593	4,071	9,053	4,767	4,286	4,151	2,221	1,930	4,902	2,546	2,356
60 - 64	6,762	3,326	3,436	6,946	3,360	3,586	3,305	1,632	1,673	3,641	1,728	1,913
65 - 69	4,548	2,251	2,297	4,735	2,364	2,371	2,209	1,144	1,065	2,526	1,220	1,306
70 & over	4,956	2,366	2,590	4,950	2,328	2,622	2,232	1,076	1,156	2,718	1,252	1,466
Not stated	49,996	29,445	20,551	52,330	30,770	21,560	24,376	14,314	10,062	27,954	16,456	11,498
<b>All ages</b>	<b>216,680</b>	<b>121,401</b>	<b>95,279</b>	<b>215,803</b>	<b>120,331</b>	<b>95,472</b>	<b>99,147</b>	<b>56,076</b>	<b>43,071</b>	<b>116,656</b>	<b>64,255</b>	<b>52,401</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including arrivals from Rodrigues

<sup>2</sup> Revised

Table 19 (cont'd) - Arrivals<sup>1</sup> of Mauritian residents by age and sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	1999			2000 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2000 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2000 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	601	304	297	674	343	331	300	148	152	374	195	179
1 - 4	3,712	1,898	1,814	3,630	1,852	1,778	1,642	810	832	1,988	1,042	946
5 - 9	5,200	2,691	2,509	5,177	2,710	2,467	2,033	1,078	955	3,144	1,632	1,512
10 - 14	4,720	2,373	2,347	5,190	2,715	2,475	2,012	1,099	913	3,178	1,616	1,562
15 - 19	6,597	3,299	3,298	6,388	3,202	3,186	2,922	1,504	1,418	3,466	1,698	1,768
20 - 24	14,136	7,003	7,133	14,767	7,143	7,624	6,706	3,244	3,462	8,061	3,899	4,162
25 - 29	15,679	8,622	7,057	16,336	8,805	7,531	7,549	4,102	3,447	8,787	4,703	4,084
30 - 34	19,358	11,297	8,061	19,708	11,715	7,993	9,354	5,613	3,741	10,354	6,102	4,252
35 - 39	19,966	12,101	7,865	20,889	12,664	8,225	9,484	5,898	3,586	11,405	6,766	4,639
40 - 44	18,554	10,931	7,623	19,043	11,251	7,792	8,632	5,255	3,377	10,411	5,996	4,415
45 - 49	16,773	9,779	6,994	17,314	10,035	7,279	7,878	4,688	3,190	9,436	5,347	4,089
50 - 54	12,107	6,654	5,453	12,638	6,985	5,653	5,754	3,243	2,511	6,884	3,742	3,142
55 - 59	8,159	4,306	3,853	8,664	4,593	4,071	4,018	2,188	1,830	4,646	2,405	2,241
60 - 64	6,780	3,373	3,407	6,762	3,326	3,436	3,088	1,564	1,524	3,674	1,762	1,912
65 - 69	4,407	2,228	2,179	4,548	2,251	2,297	2,031	1,051	980	2,517	1,200	1,317
70 & over	4,902	2,262	2,640	4,956	2,366	2,590	2,189	1,062	1,127	2,767	1,304	1,463
Not stated	45,155	26,962	18,193	49,996	29,445	20,551	23,864	14,446	9,418	26,132	14,999	11,133
<b>All ages</b>	<b>206,806</b>	<b>116,083</b>	<b>90,723</b>	<b>216,680</b>	<b>121,401</b>	<b>95,279</b>	<b>99,456</b>	<b>56,993</b>	<b>42,463</b>	<b>117,224</b>	<b>64,408</b>	<b>52,816</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including arrivals from Rodrigues<sup>2</sup> Revised

Table 20 - Departures<sup>1</sup> of Mauritian residents by age and sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	2001			2002			January - June 2002			July - December 2002		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	690	345	345	671	346	325	311	152	159	360	194	166
1 - 4	3,767	1,897	1,870	3,673	1,855	1,818	1,616	829	787	2,057	1,026	1,031
5 - 9	5,047	2,638	2,409	5,081	2,581	2,500	1,730	884	846	3,351	1,697	1,654
10 - 14	5,210	2,671	2,539	5,496	2,844	2,652	1,560	780	780	3,936	2,064	1,872
15 - 19	6,909	3,412	3,497	6,631	3,225	3,406	2,299	1,152	1,147	4,332	2,073	2,259
20 - 24	14,181	7,230	6,951	13,739	6,934	6,805	6,066	3,060	3,006	7,673	3,874	3,799
25 - 29	13,592	7,390	6,202	13,564	7,280	6,284	6,499	3,476	3,023	7,065	3,804	3,261
30 - 34	16,108	9,432	6,676	15,259	8,767	6,492	7,377	4,261	3,116	7,882	4,506	3,376
35 - 39	19,494	11,674	7,820	18,875	11,212	7,663	8,887	5,487	3,400	9,988	5,725	4,263
40 - 44	18,650	11,002	7,648	18,603	10,906	7,697	8,367	5,115	3,252	10,236	5,791	4,445
45 - 49	17,330	9,875	7,455	17,703	9,927	7,776	7,923	4,513	3,410	9,780	5,414	4,366
50 - 54	14,142	7,773	6,369	15,230	8,363	6,867	6,901	3,879	3,022	8,329	4,484	3,845
55 - 59	9,093	4,789	4,304	10,003	5,323	4,680	4,522	2,373	2,149	5,481	2,950	2,531
60 - 64	7,021	3,417	3,604	7,117	3,535	3,582	3,367	1,659	1,708	3,750	1,876	1,874
65 - 69	4,766	2,354	2,412	4,863	2,424	2,439	2,294	1,153	1,141	2,569	1,271	1,298
70 & over	4,984	2,335	2,649	5,017	2,440	2,577	2,441	1,174	1,267	2,576	1,266	1,310
Not stated	52,794	30,325	22,469	60,364	34,651	25,713	24,851	14,473	10,378	35,513	20,178	15,335
All ages	213,778	118,559	95,219	221,889	122,613	99,276	97,011	54,420	42,591	124,878	68,193	56,685

<sup>1</sup> Including departures to Rodrigues

Table 20 (cont'd) - Departures <sup>1</sup> of Mauritian residents by age and sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	2000 <sup>2</sup>			2001 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2001 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2001 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	717	343	374	690	345	345	310	154	156	380	191	189
1 - 4	3,726	1,899	1,827	3,767	1,897	1,870	1,648	828	820	2,119	1,069	1,050
5 - 9	5,322	2,764	2,558	5,047	2,638	2,409	1,765	953	812	3,282	1,685	1,597
10 - 14	5,366	2,798	2,568	5,210	2,671	2,539	1,568	800	768	3,642	1,871	1,771
15 - 19	7,571	3,734	3,837	6,909	3,412	3,497	2,616	1,295	1,321	4,293	2,117	2,176
20 - 24	14,115	7,119	6,996	14,181	7,230	6,951	6,497	3,328	3,169	7,684	3,902	3,782
25 - 29	14,502	8,012	6,490	13,592	7,390	6,202	6,796	3,709	3,087	6,796	3,681	3,115
30 - 34	17,846	10,487	7,359	16,108	9,432	6,676	8,046	4,781	3,265	8,062	4,651	3,411
35 - 39	20,243	12,202	8,041	19,494	11,674	7,820	9,326	5,876	3,450	10,168	5,798	4,370
40 - 44	18,896	11,126	7,770	18,650	11,002	7,648	8,725	5,292	3,433	9,925	5,710	4,215
45 - 49	17,411	10,051	7,360	17,330	9,875	7,455	7,918	4,629	3,289	9,412	5,246	4,166
50 - 54	12,723	7,021	5,702	14,142	7,773	6,369	6,545	3,582	2,963	7,597	4,191	3,406
55 - 59	8,706	4,650	4,056	9,093	4,789	4,304	4,302	2,206	2,096	4,791	2,583	2,208
60 - 64	6,754	3,316	3,438	7,021	3,417	3,604	3,540	1,733	1,807	3,481	1,684	1,797
65 - 69	4,529	2,247	2,282	4,766	2,354	2,412	2,369	1,176	1,193	2,397	1,178	1,219
70 & over	4,909	2,339	2,570	4,984	2,335	2,649	2,483	1,177	1,306	2,501	1,158	1,343
Not stated	49,543	28,287	21,256	52,794	30,325	22,469	23,553	13,705	9,848	29,241	16,620	12,621
<b>All ages</b>	<b>212,879</b>	<b>118,395</b>	<b>94,484</b>	<b>213,778</b>	<b>118,559</b>	<b>95,219</b>	<b>98,007</b>	<b>55,224</b>	<b>42,783</b>	<b>115,771</b>	<b>63,335</b>	<b>52,436</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including departures to Rodrigues<sup>2</sup> Revised



Table 20 (cont'd) - Departures<sup>1</sup> of Mauritian residents by age and sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	1999			2000 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2000 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2000 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	551	274	277	717	343	374	343	156	187	374	187	187
1 - 4	3,745	1,902	1,843	3,726	1,899	1,827	1,655	826	829	2,071	1,073	998
5 - 9	5,064	2,628	2,436	5,322	2,764	2,558	1,784	943	841	3,538	1,821	1,717
10 - 14	4,703	2,363	2,340	5,366	2,798	2,568	1,626	879	747	3,740	1,919	1,821
15 - 19	7,364	3,643	3,721	7,571	3,734	3,837	3,155	1,591	1,564	4,416	2,143	2,273
20 - 24	13,007	6,750	6,257	14,115	7,119	6,996	6,753	3,382	3,371	7,362	3,737	3,625
25 - 29	13,574	7,470	6,104	14,502	8,012	6,490	7,393	4,099	3,294	7,109	3,913	3,196
30 - 34	16,973	9,963	7,010	17,846	10,487	7,359	9,056	5,393	3,663	8,790	5,094	3,696
35 - 39	19,003	11,515	7,488	20,243	12,202	8,041	9,581	5,987	3,594	10,662	6,215	4,447
40 - 44	18,134	10,719	7,415	18,896	11,126	7,770	8,815	5,375	3,440	10,081	5,751	4,330
45 - 49	16,372	9,590	6,782	17,411	10,051	7,360	8,202	4,806	3,396	9,209	5,245	3,964
50 - 54	11,892	6,531	5,361	12,723	7,021	5,702	6,012	3,328	2,684	6,711	3,693	3,018
55 - 59	7,955	4,154	3,801	8,706	4,650	4,056	4,233	2,272	1,961	4,473	2,378	2,095
60 - 64	6,634	3,310	3,324	6,754	3,316	3,438	3,367	1,693	1,674	3,387	1,623	1,764
65 - 69	4,326	2,184	2,142	4,529	2,247	2,282	2,222	1,131	1,091	2,307	1,116	1,191
70 & over	4,831	2,236	2,595	4,909	2,339	2,570	2,471	1,189	1,282	2,438	1,150	1,288
Not stated	45,117	28,384	16,733	49,543	28,287	21,256	21,949	12,935	9,014	27,594	15,352	12,242
<b>All ages</b>	<b>199,245</b>	<b>113,616</b>	<b>85,629</b>	<b>212,879</b>	<b>118,395</b>	<b>94,484</b>	<b>98,617</b>	<b>55,985</b>	<b>42,632</b>	<b>114,262</b>	<b>62,410</b>	<b>51,852</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including departures to Rodrigues<sup>2</sup> Revised



Table 21 - Excess of arrivals over departures<sup>1</sup> of Mauritian residents by age & sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	2001			2002			January - June 2002			July - December 2002		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	-52	-35	-17	-68	-30	-38	-22	-12	-10	-46	-18	-28
1 - 4	-87	-38	-49	-152	-66	-86	25	10	15	-177	-76	-101
5 - 9	7	-38	45	-222	-87	-135	246	128	118	-468	-215	-253
10 - 14	-83	6	-89	-222	-143	-79	473	244	229	-695	-387	-308
15 - 19	-882	-429	-453	-1,125	-513	-612	145	59	86	-1,270	-572	-698
20 - 24	299	-51	350	-684	-532	-152	-133	-100	-33	-551	-432	-119
25 - 29	1,556	617	939	1,247	466	781	88	-25	113	1,159	491	668
30 - 34	1,652	1,025	627	1,032	689	343	19	85	-66	1,013	604	409
35 - 39	789	495	294	412	356	56	-167	-122	-45	579	478	101
40 - 44	-2	-37	35	-126	-1	-125	-251	-176	-75	125	175	-50
45 - 49	-199	27	-226	-170	-45	-125	-243	-133	-110	73	88	-15
50 - 54	-329	-139	-190	-283	-196	-87	-344	-196	-148	61	0	61
55 - 59	-40	-22	-18	-103	-81	-22	-289	-136	-153	186	55	131
60 - 64	-75	-57	-18	-119	-71	-48	-269	-121	-148	150	50	100
65 - 69	-31	10	-41	-20	-17	-3	-206	-90	-116	186	73	113
70 & over	-34	-7	-27	26	4	22	-206	-77	-129	232	81	151
Not stated	-464	445	-909	-363	-639	276	1,335	468	867	-1,698	-1,107	-591
All ages	2,025	1,772	253	-940	-906	-34	201	-194	395	-1,141	-712	-429

<sup>1</sup> Including traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues.

Table 21 (cont'd) - Excess of arrivals over departures <sup>1</sup> of Mauritian residents by age & sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	2000 <sup>2</sup>			2001 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2001 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2001 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	-43	0	-43	-52	-35	-17	-16	-10	-6	-36	-25	-11
1 - 4	-96	-47	-49	-87	-38	-49	25	2	23	-112	-40	-72
5 - 9	-145	-54	-91	7	-38	45	275	106	169	-268	-144	-124
10 - 14	-176	-83	-93	-83	6	-89	431	252	179	-514	-246	-268
15 - 19	-1,183	-532	-651	-882	-429	-453	115	47	68	-997	-476	-521
20 - 24	652	24	628	299	-51	350	134	-32	166	165	-19	184
25 - 29	1,834	793	1,041	1,556	617	939	261	50	211	1,295	567	728
30 - 34	1,862	1,228	634	1,652	1,025	627	439	334	105	1,213	691	522
35 - 39	646	462	184	789	495	294	100	14	86	689	481	208
40 - 44	147	125	22	-2	-37	35	-178	-166	-12	176	129	47
45 - 49	-97	-16	-81	-199	27	-226	-180	-37	-143	-19	64	-83
50 - 54	-85	-36	-49	-329	-139	-190	-292	-98	-194	-37	-41	4
55 - 59	-42	-57	15	-40	-22	-18	-151	15	-166	111	-37	148
60 - 64	8	10	-2	-75	-57	-18	-235	-101	-134	160	44	116
65 - 69	19	4	15	-31	10	-41	-160	-32	-128	129	42	87
70 & over	47	27	20	-34	-7	-27	-251	-101	-150	217	94	123
Not stated	453	1,158	-705	-464	445	-909	823	609	214	-1,287	-164	-1,123
<b>All ages</b>	<b>3,801</b>	<b>3,006</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>2,025</b>	<b>1,772</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1,140</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>885</b>	<b>920</b>	<b>-35</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues.

<sup>2</sup> Revised

Table 21 (cont'd) - Excess of arrivals over departures <sup>1</sup> of Mauritian residents by age & sex, 1999 - 2002

Age (years)	1999			2000 <sup>2</sup>			January - June 2000 <sup>2</sup>			July - December 2000 <sup>2</sup>		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	50	30	20	-43	0	-43	-43	-8	-35	0	8	-8
1 - 4	-33	-4	-29	-96	-47	-49	-13	-16	3	-83	-31	-52
5 - 9	136	63	73	-145	-54	-91	249	135	114	-394	-189	-205
10 - 14	17	10	7	-176	-83	-93	386	220	166	-562	-303	-259
15 - 19	-767	-344	-423	-1,183	-532	-651	-233	-87	-146	-950	-445	-505
20 - 24	1,129	253	876	652	24	628	-47	-138	91	699	162	537
25 - 29	2,105	1,152	953	1,834	793	1,041	156	3	153	1,678	790	888
30 - 34	2,385	1,334	1,051	1,862	1,228	634	298	220	78	1,564	1,008	556
35 - 39	963	586	377	646	462	184	-97	-89	-8	743	551	192
40 - 44	420	212	208	147	125	22	-183	-120	-63	330	245	85
45 - 49	401	189	212	-97	-16	-81	-324	-118	-206	227	102	125
50 - 54	215	123	92	-85	-36	-49	-258	-85	-173	173	49	124
55 - 59	204	152	52	-42	-57	15	-215	-84	-131	173	27	146
60 - 64	146	63	83	8	10	-2	-279	-129	-150	287	139	148
65 - 69	81	44	37	19	4	15	-191	-80	-111	210	84	126
70 & over	71	26	45	47	27	20	-282	-127	-155	329	154	175
Not stated	38	-1,422	1,460	453	1,158	-705	1,915	1,511	404	-1,462	-353	-1,109
<b>All ages</b>	<b>7,561</b>	<b>2,467</b>	<b>5,094</b>	<b>3,801</b>	<b>3,006</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>1,008</b>	<b>-169</b>	<b>2,962</b>	<b>1,998</b>	<b>964</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues.<sup>2</sup> Revised

**Table 22 - Arrivals and departures of Mauritian residents by country of embarkation and disembarkation, 2000 - 2002 <sup>1</sup>**

Country of embarkation/ disembarkation	Arrivals			Departures			Excess of arrivals over departures		
	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002
Australia	4,600	4,358	4,498	4,696	4,525	4,705	-96	-167	-207
Belgium	527	1,196	1,030	1,923	613	561	-1,396	583	469
Canada	259	222	330	111	64	73	148	158	257
France	25,036	24,451	24,987	24,103	24,159	25,168	933	292	-181
Germany	2,351	2,223	1,981	2,172	2,198	2,134	179	25	-153
Hong Kong SAR <sup>2</sup>	4,164	5,999	7,461	3,966	5,624	7,304	198	375	157
India	14,683	16,083	14,020	14,376	15,181	13,768	307	902	252
Italy	3,382	3,536	3,225	3,395	3,057	3,076	-13	479	149
Kenya	761	1,055	1,231	970	530	1,149	-209	525	82
Rodrigues	49,981	52,307	59,984	49,530	52,777	60,355	451	-470	-371
Reunion	41,850	42,395	36,959	42,096	42,331	37,245	-246	64	-286
Singapore	14,492	13,323	10,034	14,999	10,824	11,720	-507	2,499	-1,686
South Africa	12,050	11,903	14,312	11,279	11,302	14,460	771	601	-148
Switzerland	2,537	2,229	1,948	2,069	2,221	2,294	468	8	-346
United Kingdom	19,369	18,228	20,110	18,029	19,942	21,523	1,340	-1,714	-1,413
Other countries	20,638	16,295	18,839	19,165	18,430	16,354	1,473	-2,135	2,485
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>216,680</b>	<b>215,803</b>	<b>220,949</b>	<b>212,879</b>	<b>213,778</b>	<b>221,889</b>	<b>3,801</b>	<b>2,025</b>	<b>-940</b>

<sup>1</sup> Including traffic between Island of Mauritius and Rodrigues

<sup>2</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

### III - TOURISM

#### Definition and notes

1. Definition of tourist

(a) prior to 1964, a tourist has been defined as a non-resident staying in Mauritius for more than 24 hours but less than 6 months.

(b) as from 1964, a tourist is defined as a non-resident staying in the island for more than 24 hours but less than a year and is not involved in any gainful occupation .

The figures for the two periods are nevertheless comparable because of the small number of tourists staying for more than 6 months.

2. Visitors include the following:

(a) tourists as defined above; and

(b) cruise ship passengers and non-residents who stayed in the country for less than a day, other than those who do not leave the airport.

3. Method of compilation

Certain data on tourism (such as type of visitor, tourist arrivals by month of arrival, tourist arrivals by country of residence and mode of transport) are compiled from disembarkation cards which all passengers have to fill in when they arrive in this country. However, information on duration of stay of visitors can be compiled only from the embarkation cards which they fill in when leave the country.



Prior to 1994, figures have been compiled from a 10% sample of embarkation and disembarkation cards filled in by passengers. However, as from January 1994, they are based on movements of all passengers. Thus disaggregated data for 1994 onwards may not be strictly comparable to previous series.

#### 4. Tourist nights

Tables on tourist nights show the number of nights spent by tourists who were present in the country during the period under review. Thus the number of tourist nights for 2002 include:

- (a) the nights spent during 2002 by tourists who arrived prior to 1st January 2002; and
- (b) the nights spent during 2002 by tourists who arrived during the same year.

However, nights spent after 31st December 2002 by tourists who arrived in 2002 are excluded.

#### 5. Large hotels

Large hotels are well established beach hotels of over 80 rooms.

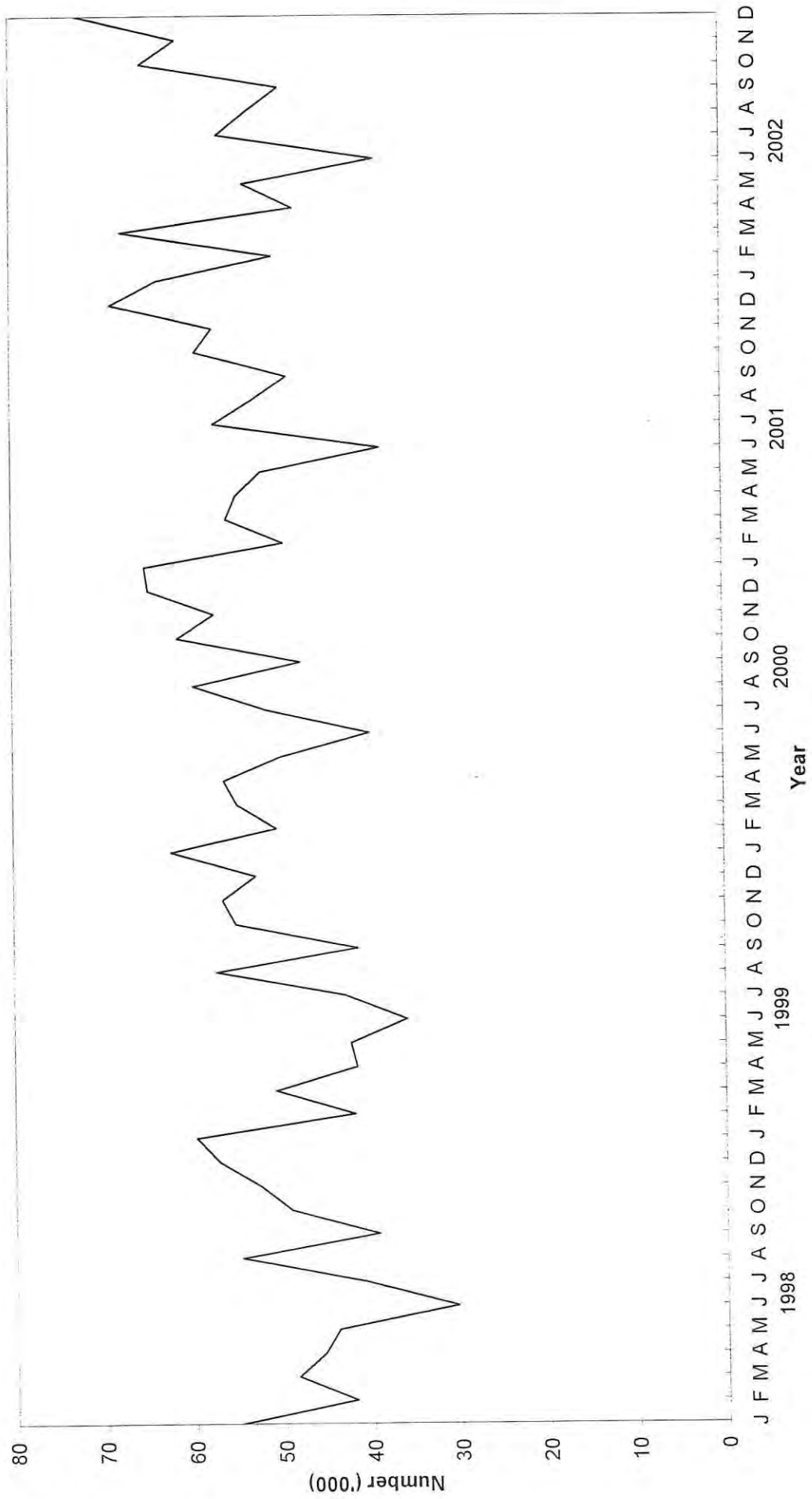
Table 23 -Tourist arrivals by mode of transport and tourist nights spent during period, 1986 - 2002

Period	Tourist arriving during period			Tourist nights spent during period	% change over previous year	
	Sea	Air	Total		Tourist arrivals	Tourist nights
1986	950	164,360	165,310	1,878,370	+ 11.0	+ 8.2
1987	1,530	206,040	207,570	2,371,970	+ 25.6	+ 26.3
1988	1,770	237,530	239,300	3,002,620	+ 15.3	+ 26.6
1989	840	261,950	262,790	3,196,780	+ 9.8	+ 6.5
1990	1,200	290,350	291,550	3,564,930	+ 10.9	+ 11.5
1991	2,500	298,170	300,670	3,696,990	+ 3.1	+ 3.7
1992	2,630	332,770	335,400	4,110,430	+ 11.6	+ 11.2
1993	5,710	368,920	374,630	4,610,400	+ 11.7	+ 12.2
1994	6,383	394,143	400,526	4,359,303	+ 6.9	- 5.4
1995	6,105	416,358	422,463	4,434,891	+ 5.5	+ 1.7
1996	6,484	480,383	486,867	4,957,683	+ 15.2	+ 11.8
1997	7,476	528,649	536,125	5,451,314	+ 10.1	+ 10.0
1998	17,109	541,086	558,195	5,567,889	+ 4.1	+ 2.1
1999	13,852	564,233	578,085	5,729,464	+ 3.6	+ 2.9
2000	10,677	645,776	656,453	6,412,876	+ 13.6	+ 11.9
2001	10,532	649,786	660,318	6,527,800	+ 0.6	+ 1.8
2002	14,180	667,468	681,648	6,768,870	+ 3.2	+ 3.7

**Table 24 - Tourist arrivals by month of arrival, 1993 - 2002**

Month of arrival	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
January	38,910	41,757	42,528	42,743	50,507	54,839	59,680	62,355	65,122	63,551
February	25,920	27,268	26,587	30,870	37,254	41,928	41,859	50,466	49,464	50,554
March	24,170	31,738	33,038	41,736	46,923	48,440	50,707	54,872	55,944	67,554
April	32,580	30,350	34,428	38,759	38,683	45,433	41,536	56,353	54,794	48,187
May	28,250	30,685	30,607	36,303	39,794	43,790	42,254	49,960	51,969	53,813
June	20,880	22,537	23,177	27,984	32,165	30,387	35,910	39,885	38,496	39,048
July	30,320	32,211	33,833	35,656	39,716	40,700	42,862	51,577	57,274	56,709
August	38,450	40,319	42,985	50,347	55,033	54,651	57,321	59,731	52,923	53,395
September	26,750	28,605	28,928	36,681	39,694	39,228	41,383	47,634	48,953	49,774
October	33,040	39,139	40,620	45,930	45,302	49,090	55,128	61,526	59,325	65,291
November	35,400	35,037	39,437	46,130	55,424	52,563	56,584	57,334	57,326	61,326
December	39,960	40,880	46,295	53,728	55,630	57,146	52,861	64,760	68,728	72,446
<b>Whole Year</b>	<b>374,630</b>	<b>400,526</b>	<b>422,463</b>	<b>486,867</b>	<b>536,125</b>	<b>558,195</b>	<b>578,085</b>	<b>656,453</b>	<b>660,318</b>	<b>681,648</b>

Fig 4 - Tourist arrivals by month, 1998 - 2002







**Table 26 - Tourist arrivals by country of residence and sex , 2002**

Country of residence	Male	Female	Both Sexes
Australia	4,298	4,089	8,387
Belgium	5,506	5,073	10,579
France	101,172	101,697	202,869
Germany	27,036	26,726	53,762
Hong Kong SAR <sup>1</sup>	746	455	1,201
India	13,584	7,314	20,898
Italy	18,992	19,271	38,263
Japan	1,118	840	1,958
Kenya	972	535	1,507
Malagasy Rep.	4,718	4,699	9,417
Réunion Island	47,385	48,990	96,375
Seychelles	5,776	7,692	13,468
Singapore	1,811	1,303	3,114
S. Africa Rep. of	22,572	20,113	42,685
Switzerland	8,617	8,754	17,371
United Kingdom	40,789	39,878	80,667
U.S.A.	2,392	1,724	4,116
Zimbabwe	1,422	1,763	3,185
Other countries	40,031	31,795	71,826
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>348,937</b>	<b>332,711</b>	<b>681,648</b>

<sup>1</sup> *Special Administrative Region of China*

Table 27 - Tourist arrivals by country of residence, 1993 - 2002

Country of residence	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Australia	4,520	4,160	5,558	7,762	9,460	8,913	8,076	8,771	8,790	8,387
Belgium	3,530	4,292	5,802	8,060	8,162	8,365	9,586	10,998	10,398	10,579
France	85,120	106,268	116,701	130,292	145,173	162,775	175,431	198,423	197,595	202,869
Germany	38,500	41,824	41,637	45,221	43,993	43,826	45,206	52,869	50,866	53,762
Hong Kong SAR <sup>1</sup>	1,330	1,336	1,645	2,066	1,629	969	859	1,227	1,488	1,201
India	10,740	10,449	11,225	13,075	13,220	12,629	13,583	17,241	18,890	20,898
Italy	15,290	18,149	17,384	21,848	35,255	36,614	36,675	39,000	37,343	38,263
Japan	2,540	3,221	3,176	3,192	3,140	2,505	2,324	2,389	1,589	1,958
Kenya	1,070	1,278	1,158	1,170	1,230	1,684	1,655	1,801	1,734	1,507
Malagasy Rep.	7,740	6,849	6,885	11,401	10,143	9,213	7,880	7,057	6,674	9,417
Reunion Island	84,960	77,035	78,431	82,272	82,628	83,966	83,749	86,945	91,140	96,375
Seychelles	5,420	5,650	7,116	9,325	8,995	8,529	7,893	9,229	10,687	13,468
Singapore	2,770	3,247	2,601	3,153	3,404	3,515	3,661	4,104	3,431	3,114
S. Africa Rep. of	42,350	39,762	42,653	50,361	51,249	49,676	46,583	48,683	47,882	42,685
Switzerland	11,010	11,453	13,815	15,692	16,105	16,178	16,281	20,473	18,427	17,371
United Kingdom	29,950	33,295	31,324	35,271	46,022	52,299	58,683	74,488	77,888	80,667
USA	1,790	2,006	2,093	2,362	2,879	3,158	3,345	3,704	3,923	4,116
Zimbabwe	3,460	3,539	2,965	3,402	4,248	3,796	2,606	3,435	3,860	3,185
Other countries	22,540	26,713	30,294	40,942	49,190	49,585	54,009	65,616	67,713	71,826
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>374,630</b>	<b>400,526</b>	<b>422,463</b>	<b>486,867</b>	<b>536,125</b>	<b>558,195</b>	<b>578,085</b>	<b>656,453</b>	<b>660,318</b>	<b>681,648</b>

<sup>1</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

Table 28 - Percentage distribution of tourist arrivals by country of residence, 1993 - 2002

Country of residence	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Australia	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.2
Belgium	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6
France	22.7	26.5	27.6	26.8	27.1	29.2	30.3	30.2	29.9	29.8
Germany	10.3	10.4	9.9	9.3	8.2	7.9	7.8	8.1	7.7	7.9
Hong Kong SAR <sup>1</sup>	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
India	2.9	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.6	2.9	3.1
Italy	4.1	4.5	4.1	4.5	6.6	6.6	6.3	5.9	5.7	5.6
Japan	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3
Kenya	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Malagasy Rep.	2.1	1.7	1.6	2.3	1.9	1.7	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.4
Reunion Island	22.7	19.2	18.6	16.9	15.4	15.0	14.5	13.2	13.8	14.1
Seychelles	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.6	2.0
Singapore	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5
S. Africa Rep. of	11.3	9.9	10.1	10.3	9.6	8.9	8.1	7.4	7.3	6.3
Switzerland	2.9	2.9	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	3.1	2.8	2.5
United Kingdom	8.0	8.3	7.4	7.2	8.6	9.4	10.2	11.3	11.8	11.8
USA	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Zimbabwe	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5
Other countries	6.0	6.7	7.2	8.4	9.2	8.9	9.3	10.0	10.3	10.5
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

Fig. 5 - Percentage distribution of tourist arrivals by country of residence, 2002

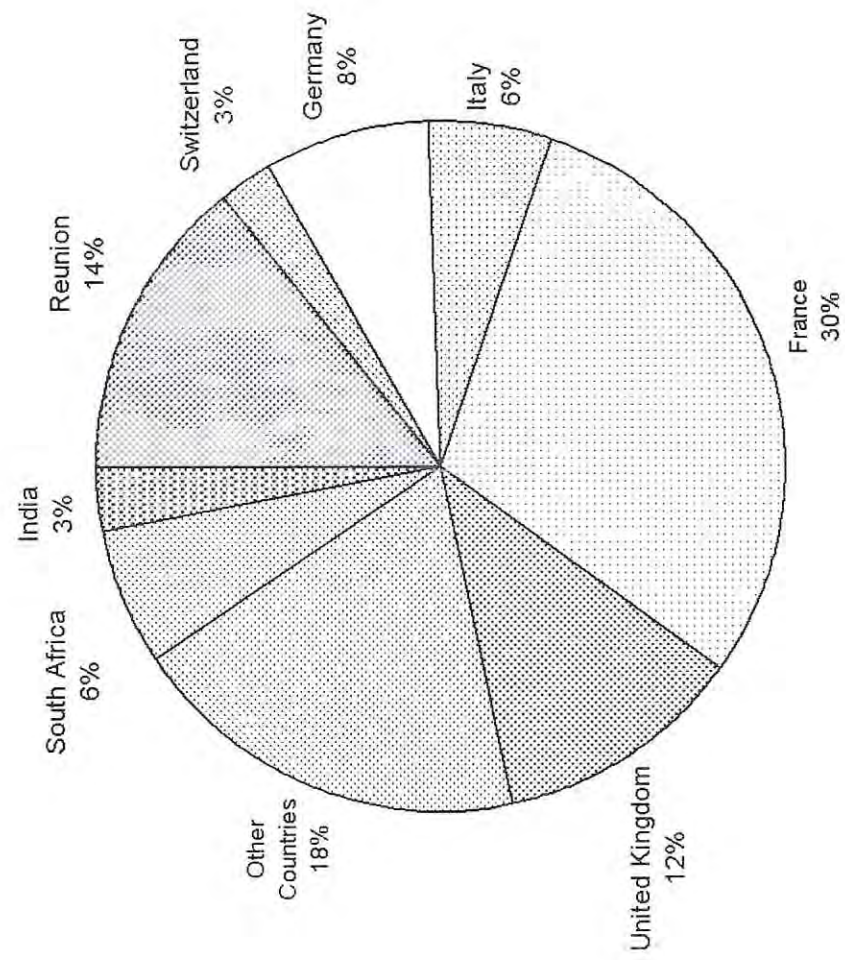


Table 29 - Tourist nights by country of residence, 1993 - 2002

Country of residence	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Australia	74,190	62,603	85,473	115,711	123,056	104,284	91,655	96,932	104,232	98,869
Belgium	54,870	64,851	85,274	102,517	113,011	105,146	126,221	132,571	125,752	124,586
France	1,062,550	1,144,256	1,232,159	1,345,112	1,509,687	1,632,311	1,719,893	1,934,683	1,966,911	2,020,850
Germany	554,090	520,453	521,984	563,798	557,374	548,693	553,112	635,600	612,881	651,913
Hong Kong SAR <sup>1</sup>	19,320	14,983	14,387	17,503	13,524	9,559	9,367	9,601	11,955	10,941
India	156,450	170,802	143,884	149,164	155,700	146,872	157,110	188,008	207,965	253,340
Italy	181,300	189,369	180,214	210,962	337,486	346,779	336,271	349,267	326,100	329,809
Japan	18,260	18,536	19,007	20,676	19,834	15,625	12,593	14,054	10,161	11,170
Kenya	10,550	9,671	9,242	8,418	9,065	11,318	12,904	12,585	10,780	8,784
Malagasy Rep.	62,570	58,160	54,783	76,714	78,525	80,310	74,643	65,526	66,177	81,758
Reunion Island	761,100	582,093	573,206	585,351	593,693	588,452	576,423	596,449	632,970	675,483
Seychelles	65,270	59,840	65,577	82,035	72,835	71,407	67,271	82,577	96,303	113,942
Singapore	24,270	19,510	18,323	17,468	18,154	19,627	21,925	21,998	23,420	20,403
S. Africa Rep. of	475,930	391,494	378,812	434,348	420,633	416,635	412,869	422,300	400,656	376,588
Switzerland	173,670	155,732	179,118	205,089	209,931	209,329	206,392	248,345	229,227	210,510
United Kingdom	493,520	498,102	470,448	510,672	625,419	675,375	720,291	884,799	942,095	977,717
U.S.A.	31,960	19,517	21,170	24,363	26,205	28,558	31,953	32,719	37,067	38,478
Zimbabwe	35,110	35,725	29,306	31,258	37,582	35,377	28,106	37,555	47,134	39,504
Other countries	355,420	343,606	352,524	456,524	529,600	522,232	570,465	647,307	676,014	724,225
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>4,610,400</b>	<b>4,359,303</b>	<b>4,434,891</b>	<b>4,957,683</b>	<b>5,451,314</b>	<b>5,567,889</b>	<b>5,729,464</b>	<b>6,412,876</b>	<b>6,527,800</b>	<b>6,768,870</b>

<sup>1</sup> Special Administrative Region of China



Fig 6 - Total arrivals and tourist arrivals, 1993 - 2002

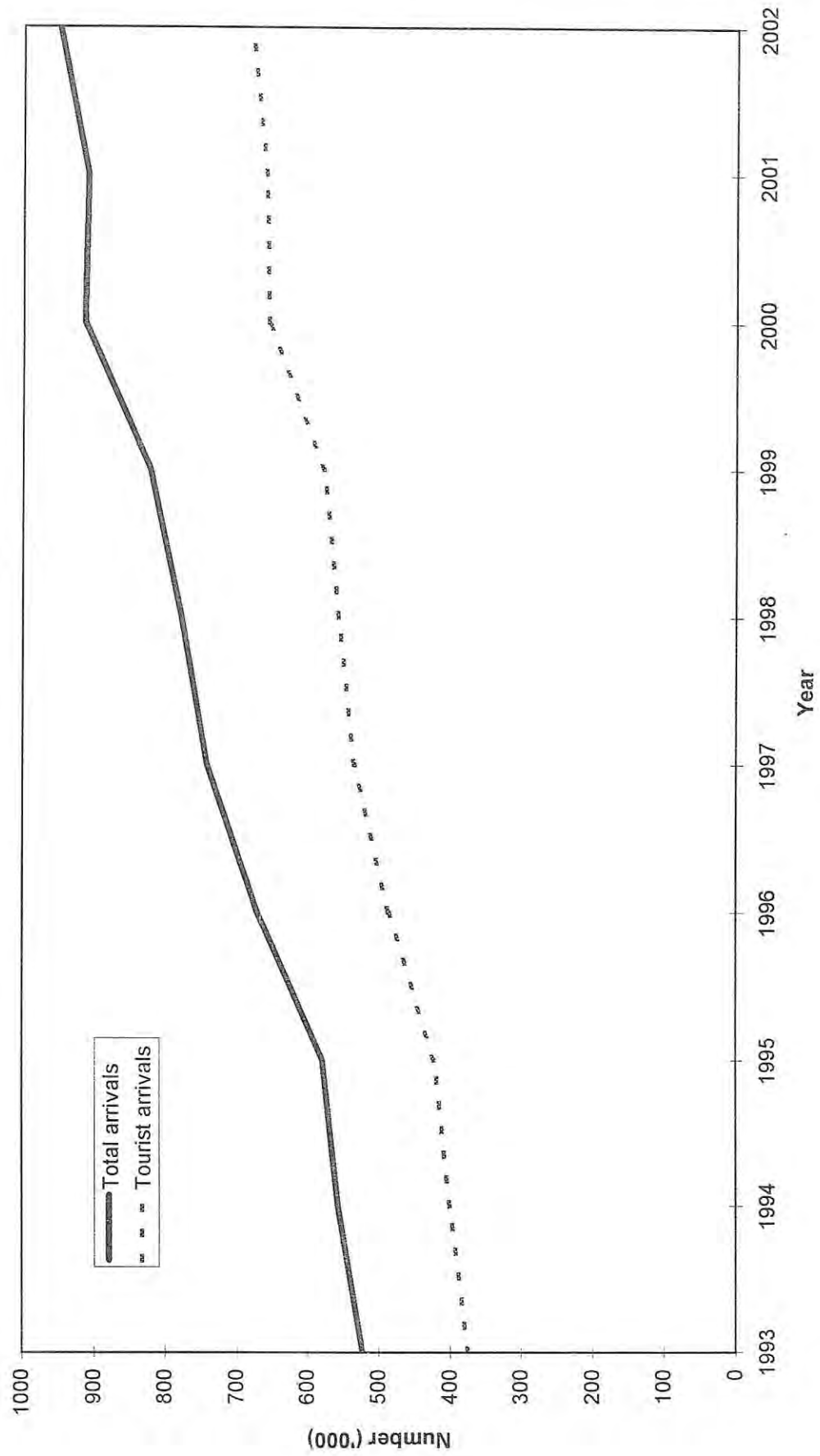
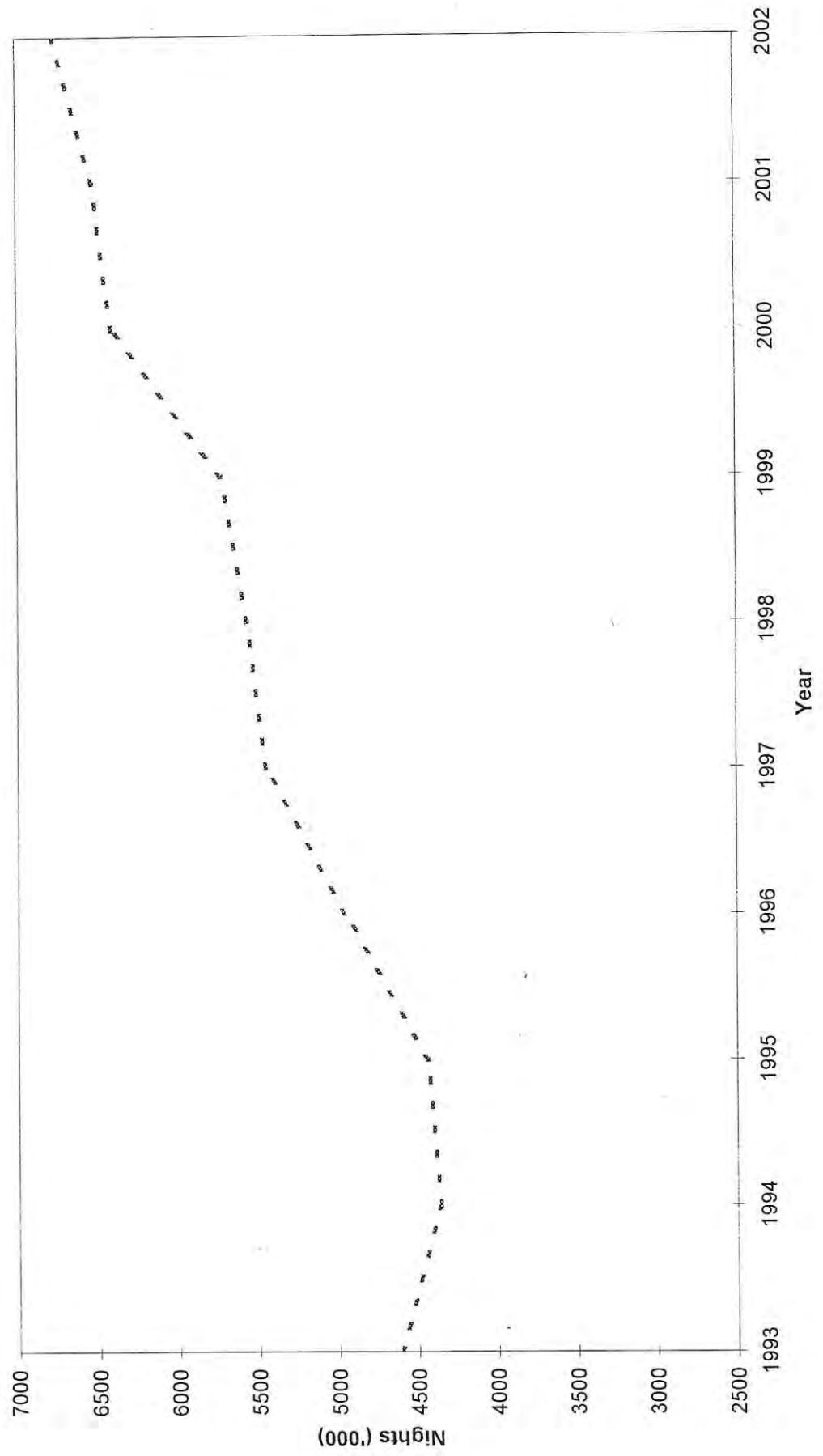


Fig 7 - Tourist nights, 1993 - 2002



**Table 30 - Visitor <sup>1</sup> arrivals by country of residence and type of passenger, 2000 - 2002**

Country of residence	Visitors on holidays			Visitors on business			Visitors in transit			Other visitors			Total visitors		
	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002
Australia	7,382	7,619	6,771	529	372	742	664	676	782	196	123	212	8,771	8,790	8,507
Belgium	10,611	10,072	10,171	313	232	262	16	22	101	58	72	86	10,998	10,398	10,620
France	191,335	189,970	193,352	3,837	4,294	4,538	1,223	1,411	4,425	2,028	1,920	2,356	198,423	197,595	204,671
Germany	51,311	49,320	52,432	629	612	445	135	180	967	794	754	619	52,869	50,866	54,463
Hong Kong SAR <sup>2</sup>	925	1,008	686	224	228	255	60	214	335	18	38	26	1,227	1,488	1,302
India	12,401	14,006	15,110	3,737	3,394	3,903	615	891	1,157	488	599	937	17,241	18,890	21,107
Italy	38,104	36,414	37,432	474	460	435	47	69	184	375	400	304	39,000	37,343	38,355
Japan	1,997	1,295	1,596	221	183	154	123	90	306	48	21	45	2,389	1,589	2,101
Kenya	1,014	971	802	459	337	441	280	400	261	48	26	19	1,801	1,734	1,523
Malagasy Rep.	5,208	4,759	5,475	783	706	780	933	971	3,955	133	238	275	7,057	6,674	10,485
Reunion Island	81,308	84,987	87,868	1,759	1,848	1,945	3,512	3,901	8,768	366	404	587	86,945	91,140	99,168
Seychelles	8,118	9,544	12,217	313	371	399	530	397	691	268	375	363	9,229	10,687	13,670
Singapore	2,536	2,431	2,419	483	460	375	116	181	147	969	359	231	4,104	3,431	3,172
S. Africa Rep. of	42,053	41,908	36,071	4,813	4,257	5,099	866	956	1,168	951	761	775	48,683	47,882	43,113
Switzerland	19,801	18,055	17,034	260	274	219	89	50	206	323	48	34	20,473	18,427	17,493
United Kingdom	70,067	73,651	76,219	2,569	2,452	2,619	190	341	593	1,662	1,444	1,459	74,488	77,888	80,890
U.S.A.	2,803	3,004	3,251	731	675	627	109	174	306	61	70	58	3,704	3,923	4,242
Zimbabwe	2,821	3,238	2,843	332	362	214	90	117	75	192	143	83	3,435	3,860	3,215
Other & N. Stated	52,811	54,293	58,375	4,538	5,006	5,106	26,226	18,932	24,597	4,060	3,783	3,130	87,635	82,014	91,208
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>602,606</b>	<b>606,545</b>	<b>620,124</b>	<b>27,004</b>	<b>26,523</b>	<b>28,558</b>	<b>35,824</b>	<b>29,973</b>	<b>49,024</b>	<b>13,038</b>	<b>11,578</b>	<b>11,599</b>	<b>678,472</b>	<b>674,619</b>	<b>709,305</b>

<sup>1</sup> Visitors include tourists, cruise ship passengers and non-residents who stay in the country for less than a day, other than those who do not leave the airport

<sup>2</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

Table 31 - Visitor arrivals by age and sex, 2000 - 2002

Age (years)	2000 <sup>1</sup>			2001 <sup>1</sup>			2002		
	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female
Under 1	3,501	1,804	1,697	3,878	2,000	1,878	3,920	1,987	1,933
1 - 4	21,800	11,166	10,634	21,701	11,096	10,605	22,552	11,417	11,135
5 - 9	29,765	15,106	14,659	29,470	15,018	14,452	30,277	15,215	15,062
10 - 14	29,017	14,489	14,528	28,751	14,300	14,451	30,979	15,414	15,565
15 - 19	21,511	9,776	11,735	22,219	10,118	12,101	22,548	10,381	12,167
20 - 24	34,911	13,456	21,455	35,427	13,783	21,644	34,817	13,569	21,248
25 - 29	83,733	38,756	44,977	82,990	38,560	44,430	81,110	37,125	43,985
30 - 34	85,354	44,292	41,062	86,189	45,028	41,161	87,026	45,259	41,767
35 - 39	76,583	41,531	35,052	77,403	41,693	35,710	78,992	42,394	36,598
40 - 44	64,473	35,388	29,085	65,250	35,914	29,336	69,008	37,655	31,353
45 - 49	59,980	32,371	27,609	59,093	31,724	27,369	62,853	33,941	28,912
50 - 54	56,200	30,718	25,482	56,319	30,895	25,424	58,122	31,631	26,491
55 - 59	40,030	22,060	17,970	40,368	22,148	18,220	44,866	24,847	20,019
60 - 64	27,705	14,742	12,963	27,469	14,987	12,482	29,558	16,139	13,419
65 - 69	16,729	8,879	7,850	16,773	8,893	7,880	17,829	9,551	8,278
70 & over	15,554	7,882	7,672	15,154	7,621	7,533	15,935	8,150	7,785
Not stated	11,626	7,026	4,600	6,165	3,477	2,688	18,913	10,359	8,554
<b>All ages</b>	<b>678,472</b>	<b>349,442</b>	<b>329,030</b>	<b>674,619</b>	<b>347,255</b>	<b>327,364</b>	<b>709,305</b>	<b>365,034</b>	<b>344,271</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised

**Table 32 - Visitor arrivals by duration of stay, 2001 & 2002**

Duration of stay	2001		2002	
	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage
Less than 1 day	14,301	2.1	27,657	3.9
1 day	17,310	2.6	20,272	2.9
2 days	14,982	2.2	15,349	2.2
3 days	26,556	3.9	26,322	3.7
4 days	35,249	5.2	33,181	4.7
5 days	43,856	6.5	42,772	6.0
6 days	56,956	8.4	63,215	8.9
7 days	112,707	16.7	107,239	15.1
8 days	32,557	4.8	37,376	5.3
9 days	31,463	4.7	34,118	4.8
10 days	29,660	4.4	32,548	4.6
11 days	19,119	2.8	21,942	3.1
12 days	34,065	5.0	32,308	4.6
13 days	32,804	4.9	33,017	4.7
14 days	53,112	7.9	55,187	7.8
15 days	7,506	1.1	8,617	1.2
16 days	5,284	0.8	6,372	0.9
17 days	3,790	0.6	3,978	0.6
18 days	3,324	0.5	3,464	0.5
19 days	5,917	0.9	5,181	0.7
20 - 24 days	16,721	2.5	17,350	2.4
25 - 29 days	8,810	1.3	9,074	1.3
1 month - under 2 months	12,568	1.9	13,412	1.9
2 months - under 3 months	53,586	7.9	56,870	8.0
3 months and over	2,416	0.4	2,484	0.4
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>674,619</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>709,305</b>	<b>100.0</b>



Table 33 - Visitor arrivals by country of residence and duration of stay, 2002

Country of residence	Duration of stay (Nights)												Total
	<1	1 - 2	3 - 4	5 - 6	7 - 8	9 - 10	11 - 12	13 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30 +	
Australia	120	1,127	771	1,442	778	248	770	660	311	229	327	1,724	8,507
Belgium	41	152	309	2,517	1,512	1,147	487	2,158	306	469	413	1,109	10,620
France	1,802	6,520	20,409	31,083	48,035	25,874	15,918	16,961	9,468	4,725	2,891	20,985	204,671
Germany	701	1,222	996	3,422	5,787	2,800	7,006	20,685	3,186	3,636	729	4,293	54,463
Hong Kong SAR <sup>1</sup>	101	319	161	245	68	106	20	52	22	9	11	188	1,302
India	209	1,277	3,441	7,127	2,449	903	633	986	410	312	291	3,069	21,107
Italy	92	195	915	10,006	13,991	2,058	1,461	5,867	718	506	256	2,290	38,355
Japan	143	314	314	720	214	90	20	52	17	11	3	203	2,101
Kenya	16	309	287	513	70	73	24	73	9	14	9	126	1,523
Malagasy Rep.	1,068	2,647	992	786	1,124	391	389	389	257	155	110	2,177	10,485
Reunion Island	2,793	11,031	14,702	21,375	23,246	6,697	3,357	2,521	2,581	1,082	629	9,154	99,168
Seychelles	202	784	1,689	1,625	4,531	1,051	638	1,055	398	255	113	1,329	13,670
Singapore	58	263	543	1,139	289	135	16	77	35	31	6	580	3,172
S. Africa Rep. of	428	1,878	4,904	6,298	14,633	5,167	1,723	2,095	1,088	603	387	3,909	43,113
Switzerland	122	314	615	1,878	2,334	1,433	3,008	3,980	1,254	724	445	1,386	17,493
United Kingdom	223	1,357	2,531	4,949	11,233	10,497	10,082	22,065	4,403	2,747	1,459	9,344	80,890
U.S.A.	126	446	645	746	629	359	192	203	161	89	53	593	4,242
Zimbabwe	30	75	155	157	1,167	106	89	529	136	243	149	379	3,215
Other & not stated	19,382	5,391	5,124	9,959	12,525	7,531	8,417	7,796	2,852	1,510	793	9,928	91,208
All Countries	27,657	35,621	59,503	105,987	144,615	66,666	54,250	88,204	27,612	17,350	9,074	72,766	709,305

<sup>1</sup> Special Administrative Region of China

**Table 34 - Visitor arrivals and average length of stay by country of residence, 2002**

Country of Residence	Visitor arrivals	Average length of stay (nights)
Australia	8,507	12.9
Belgium	10,620	12.3
France	204,671	10.5
Germany	54,463	12.9
Hong Kong SAR <sup>1</sup>	1,302	9.1
India	21,107	11.6
Italy	38,355	9.1
Japan	2,101	6.2
Kenya	1,523	6.2
Malagasy Rep.	10,485	10.0
Reunion	99,168	7.5
Seychelles	13,670	8.8
Singapore	3,172	7.4
South Africa	43,113	9.2
Switzerland	17,493	12.5
United Kingdom	80,890	12.9
U.S.A.	4,242	10.1
Zimbabwe	3,215	12.8
Other & not stated	91,208	10.8
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>709,305</b>	<b>10.5</b>

<sup>1</sup> *Special Administrative Region of China*

**Table 35 - Gross earnings from tourism, 1993 - 2002**

Earnings (Rs Mn)	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
	5,362	6,415	7,472	9,048	10,068	11,890	13,668	14,234	18,166	18,328

Source : Bank of Mauritius

**Table 36 - Expenditure of tourists by country of residence, 1992 - 2000**

Country of residence	Expenditure (Rs Mn)					
	1992	1994	1996	1998	2000	2000 <sup>1</sup>
France	1,093.4	1,729.3	2,391.8	3,173.1		3,785.7
Germany	738.5	933.0	1,301.0	1,195.9		1,447.3
Italy	308.5	357.7	541.9	827.9		918.3
Switzerland	218.9	279.7	475.7	473.3		615.7
United Kingdom	544.2	814.7	973.1	1,680.2		2,708.2
Malagasy Rep.	36.9	79.6	158.6	108.4		90.3
Reunion	521.4	552.9	731.2	855.4		871.4
South Africa, Rep. of	489.4	546.5	706.4	808.8		780.6
Singapore	19.1	35.9	52.0	62.5		94.5
Other countries	686.3	1,143.1	1,692.2	2,578.4		2,875.3
<b>All Countries</b>	<b>4,656.6</b>	<b>6,472.4</b>	<b>9,023.9</b>	<b>11,763.9</b>		<b>14,187.3</b>

Source: Survey of Outgoing Tourists conducted by the Ministry of Tourism and Leisure every two years.

<sup>1</sup> Revised

**Table 37 - Expenditure of tourists by type of expenditure, 1992 - 2000**

Type of expenditure	Expenditure (Rs Mn)				
	1992	1994	1996	1998	2000 <sup>1</sup>
Accommodation	2,380	3,405	4,647	6,415	7,479
Meals & Beverages	792	997	1,381	1,818	2,470
Transport	438	583	668	804	941
Entertainment	126	214	514	685	839
Shopping	736	945	1,381	1,691	2,002
Other	186	330	433	351	457
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,657</b>	<b>6,472</b>	<b>9,024</b>	<b>11,764</b>	<b>14,187</b>

Source: Survey of Outgoing Tourists conducted by the Ministry of Tourism and Leisure every two years.

<sup>1</sup> Revised

**Table 38 - Hotels, rooms and bedplaces, 1993 -2002**

Year	No. of hotels	No. of rooms	No. of bedplaces
1993	85	5,341	11,058
1994	90	5,888	12,187
1995	95	5,977	12,359
1996	90	6,668	13,833
1997	87	6,809	14,126
1998	90	7,267	14,995
1999	92	8,255	16,947
2000	95	8,657	17,776
2001	95	9,024	18,350
2002	95 <sup>1</sup>	9,623	19,597

<sup>1</sup> *Excluding two hotels not operational because of renovation works*



Table 39 - Monthly occupancy rates in large <sup>1</sup> hotels, 1998 - 2002

Month	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Room	Bed	Room	Bed	Room	Bed	Room	Bed	Room	Bed
January	89	78	83	74	75	67	78	69	76	68
February	83	73	77	68	77	68	70	63	74	66
March	78	69	76	67	72	64	72	64	81	72
April	75	66	74	65	77	68	70	62	68	61
May	71	63	73	64	71	63	68	61	73	65
June	55	48	64	56	62	55	51	46	53	47
July	64	56	70	62	64	57	57	51	62	56
August	77	68	74	66	73	65	65	58	69	62
September	82	72	77	68	76	67	74	66	76	68
October	83	74	83	73	79	70	76	67	82	73
November	87	77	88	78	83	74	78	70	81	71
December	74	65	62	55	71	63	72	64	72	64
Whole Year	77	68	75	67	73	65	70	62	70	62

<sup>1</sup> Large Hotels are well established beach hotels of over 80 rooms

$$\text{Room Occupancy Rate} = \frac{\text{Total number of room nights rented} \times 100}{\text{Total number of room nights available}}$$

$$\text{Bed Occupancy Rate} = \frac{\text{Total number of bed nights rented} \times 100}{\text{Total number of bed nights available}}$$

**Table 40 - Monthly occupancy rates in all hotels, 1998 - 2002**

Month	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Room	Bed	Room	Bed	Room	Bed	Room	Bed	Room	Bed
January	84	74	79	69	73	64	74	65	71	63
February	79	69	73	64	73	64	67	59	69	62
March	73	63	71	62	71	62	68	60	75	66
April	70	61	68	59	73	64	66	57	62	56
May	67	59	67	59	67	58	64	56	67	59
June	50	44	60	52	58	51	50	43	50	45
July	59	51	65	57	61	53	55	48	59	52
August	74	65	73	63	71	62	62	55	63	56
September	75	65	73	64	73	64	68	60	69	62
October	78	69	77	68	77	67	70	62	76	68
November	84	73	83	73	80	70	73	64	76	67
December	71	62	61	54	69	60	69	61	70	62
<b>Whole Year</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>59</b>

Room Occupancy Rate =  $\frac{\text{Total number of room nights rented} \times 100}{\text{Total number of room nights available}}$

Bed Occupancy Rate =  $\frac{\text{Total number of bed nights rented} \times 100}{\text{Total number of bed nights available}}$

## APPENDIX

### INTERNATIONAL EMBARKATION AND DISEMBARKATION CARD

*Carte Internationale d'Embarquement et de  
Débarquement*

- Mr/M )  
Mrs/Mme ) .....  
Miss/Melle ) (Surname/ *Nom*)  
.....  
(Given Names/*Prénoms*)
2. Date and place of Birth .....  
*Date et lieu de naissance*  
.....
3. Nationality .....  
*Nationalité*
4. Occupation .....  
*Profession*
5. Permanent address .....  
*Domicile* .....
6. Passport No., Place and Date of issue .....  
*Numéro du passeport, lieu et date d'émission* .....
7. Port of original embarkation .....  
*Lieu d'embarquement d'origine* .....
8. Purpose of journey to Mauritius .....  
*Motif principal du voyage à l'Ile Maurice*
9. Intended length of stay in Mauritius .....  
*Durée probable du séjour à l'Ile Maurice*
10. Intended address during stay in Mauritius .....  
*Adresse prévue pendant le séjour à Maurice*  
.....

Signature .....